

ROOT PLEADS FOR THE SHORT BALLOT

Condemns "Bossism"
from Floor of New York
Constitutional Meeting

'PEOPLE DEMAND CHANGE'

Declares System of "Invisible
Government" Has Dominated
State for Forty Years

SAYS PARTIES ARE ALIKE

ALBANY, N. Y., Aug. 30.—From the floor of the constitutional convention today President Elihu Root, condemned the system of "bossism" and "invisible government" which, he said, to his knowledge has dominated New York for forty years and pleaded that the people be armed with the short ballot that they may establish their own rule. It is all wrong, he declared, that any other rule should exist.

Cause Resentment Among People.

"This domination," Mr. Root declared in part, "has caused a long continued resentment among the people at being governed by men not of their choosing. They demand a change. The short ballot plan is a solution or at least it may be the first step that will work out a solution."

"When I go back home, as I am about to go, to spend my declining years, I mean to go with the feeling that I can say that I act in accordance with the lessons that I learned there from the God of my fathers."

Mr. Root was speaking particularly in behalf of the short ballot and department re-organization proposals. It has had the support of the so-called federal crowd in the convention but has been opposed by members of the "old guard." Among those who have supported it are Mr. Root, George W. Wickham, Henry L. Stimson and Frederick C. Tanner, the Republican state chairman.

Lemuel Ely Quigg, Ray B. Smith and Edgar T. Brackett, who long have fought with the "regulars" in the state, opposed it.

After discussing the proposal specifically, Mr. Root said:

Tear Down Political Leaders.

"We talk about the government of the constitution. What is the government of this state? What has it been during the forty years of my acquaintance with it? The government of the constitution? Oh, no; not half the time, or half way. When I asked what did the people find wrong in our state government, my mind goes back to those periodic fits of public rage in which the people arose and tore down the political leader, first of one party and then of the other party."

"I am talking about the system. From the days of Fenton and Conkling and Arthur and Cornell and Platt; from the days of David B. Hill, down to the present time the government of the state has presented two different lines of activity, one of the constitutional and statutory officers of the state and the other of the party leaders—they call them party bosses."

Called "the Invisible Government." "They are called the system—the 'invisible government.' For I don't remember how many years, Mr. Conkling was the supreme ruler in this state; the governor did not count; legislatures did not count. And in a great outburst of public rage he was pulled down."

"Then Mr. Platt ruled the state, for high upon twenty years. And the capital was not here; it was at 49 Broadway, with Mr. Platt and his lieutenants."

"And there is today throughout this state a deep and sullen resentment at being governed thus by men not of the people's choosing."

"The party leader is selected by no one, accountable to no one. Bound by no oath of office, removable by no one."

Doesn't Criticise Men.

"I don't criticise the men of the invisible government. How can I? I have known them all and among them have been some of my dearest friends. But it is all wrong that a government not authorized by the people should be continued superior to the government that is authorized by the people."

"Both parties are alike. All parties are alike. The system extends through all."

"What the unerring instinct of the democracy of our state has seen in this government is that a different standard of morality is applied to the conduct of affairs of state than that which is applied in private affairs."

Perversion Can Be Changed.

"I deem that we cannot do it. I assert that this perversion of democracy can be changed as truly as the atmosphere, which made the credit scandal possible in the congress of the United States, was blown away by the force of public opinion."

"We can take this one step toward not robbing the people of the right part"

STATE APPEALS FROM CREIGHTON'S DECISION

LUCY STATES BONDS WILL BE FILED
WITHIN A FEW DAYS

Attorney Monroe Notifies Attorney General He Will Inform Him Before the Expiration of Ten Days What Points He Will Include in His Cross Errors.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 30.—Through Attorney General F. J. Lucey the state of Illinois took an appeal to the supreme court today from the decision of Judge James A. Creighton of the Sangamon county circuit court in which he granted injunctions Saturday which tied up approximately \$220,000 of state funds—salaries of many state officers for two years and mileage for the legislators and the lieutenant governor.

Attorney Fayette S. Munro, of Highland Park, representing John B. Ferguson, a Chicago taxpayer, notified the attorney general that he would inform him before the expiration of ten days what points he would include in his cross errors.

Immediately after granting the appeal to the October term of the supreme court Judge Creighton adjourned this term of the circuit court. His court will reconvene Sept. 6.

It was understood here today that the chief items which Attorney Munro is likely to include in his cross errors, were those included in the omnibus bill which were vetoed in part by Governor Dunne. Attorney Munro's contention was that where the governor changed a single item it acted as an automatic veto, on the ground that if he were permitted to change items at will, instead of simply exercising his veto power, he would be exercising legislative powers. Many members of the legislature have expressed themselves in sympathy with this part of Attorney Munro's suits.

Attorney General Lucey said bonds would be filed with the circuit clerk within a few days to cover the court costs of an appeal.

AMERICAN VETERINARY MEDICAL COLLEGE OPENS CONVENTION

Discuss Ravages of Foot and Mouth Disease—Dr. John R. Mohler Addresses Meeting.

Oakland, Cal., Aug. 30.—The American veterinary medical association opened its first annual convention here today and at once began a discussion of ravages of the foot and mouth disease in the past year. Dr. John R. Mohler, assistant chief of the federal bureau of animal industry said attacks on the bureau for its efforts to stamp out the disease resembled crusades years ago against men who fought tuberculosis.

"Where these criticisms to be headed," he said, "foot and mouth disease unquestionably would be saddled upon the country tomorrow as tuberculosis is today."

He said one out of every six cases of foot and mouth infection were brought about by virus carried upon the shoes, clothing or bodies of persons.

"That this disease may be controlled admits of no argument," he affirmed.

COL. ROBERT THOMPSON IS NAMED PRESIDENT OF THE NAVY LEAGUE

Elects Gen. Horace Porter, Who Declined Re-election.

New York, Aug. 30.—Col. Robert Thompson was elected president of the navy league of the United States by the board of directors here today to succeed General Horace Porter, who declined re-election. General Porter has been president of the organization since 1905 and on his refusal to serve further in that office he was named as honorary president.

Arthur B. Lambert of St. Louis, president of the St. Louis Aero Club, and Henry B. Joy of Detroit, Michigan, were elected second and third vice-presidents, respectively, these being newly created offices.

A number of plans for a continuation of the league's efforts to obtain from congress legislation for a larger navy were adopted by the directors, although their nature was not disclosed.

TUMULTU ISSUES DENIAL

Washington, Aug. 30.—Persistent reports of efforts within the administration to displace William F. McCombs as chairman of the Democratic National Committee caused Secretary Tumulty to issue a statement from the White House tonight saying he knew of no such movement and characterizing the reports as "the work of mischief makers."

SPANISH WAR VETS MEET.

Seranton, Pa., Aug. 20.—The National convention of the Spanish war veterans opened here today. Commander-in-Chief Charles Craver presided. Reports of officers showed a membership of 37,541.

HOMMEY OUTFIGHTS WOLGAST.

New York, Aug. 30.—Packer Hommey, the local lightweight out fought Ad Wolgast of Cadillac, Mich., in their ten round bout in Brooklyn tonight. Hommey had an advantage in five rounds, Wolgast in three, the other two being even.

CONSIDER NEXT STEP FOR PEACE

Action Will Be Taken Regardless of Nature of Carranza's Answer

GEN. ZAPATA REPLIES

Villa Adherents in Washington Assert Peace Convention Is Assured

BEGIN ATTACK ON MONTEREY

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—It was stated authoritatively tonight that the next step in the Pan-American program for restoration of peace in Mexico was under consideration and would be taken in the near future, regardless of what might be the nature of General Carranza's belated reply to the offer of Secretary Lansing and Latin-American diplomats to arrange for a conference of Mexican military and political leaders.

Give No Hint of Form.

No inkling was given, however, of what form this next development would take. Responses from General Zapata and his military advisers reached the state department today, accepting the offer of the Pan-American conference. With the receipt of these replies, Villa adherents in Washington whose leaders already have responded favorably, asserted that a peace convention to form a new provisional government in Mexico was assured even if Carranza should refuse to participate.

Administration officials heard of this announcement with interest but said no arrangements for such a conference were now in prospect.

Expect Reply Within Few Days.

General Carranza's local agents declared today that they expected the "first chief's" reply within a few days at the latest. They think it will come as soon as Carranza has completed the installation of his government at Mexico City.

Eliseo Arredondo, Carranza's confidential agent in Washington, issued a statement tonight denying reports of dissension in Carranza's forces and crediting them to the Villa agents.

Reports to the state department from Torreon late in the day said the Villa forces had begun an attack upon Monterey, the capital of Nuevo Leon, which is in possession of Carranza troops under General Trevino.

The message said heavy fighting was in progress but gave no details. Earlier reports at the Villa agency said Carranza generals were calling in reinforcements to Monterey from Tampico and other cities.

Unable to Forward Supplies.

State department advices also said railroad communication between Piedras Negras on the Mexican border and Monterey still was interrupted and that the American Red Cross was unable to get a train load of supplies through to Monclova and Saltillo, where there has been dissension among natives for some time. These were the first official reports regarding military action in Northeastern Mexico to reach the department for some time, although unofficial reports have been current that a battle between Villa and Carranza forces for possession of Monterey was pending.

Tonight General Villa is said to have headed a column of reinforcements which hastened to the vicinity of Monterey from Torreon to the aid of Madero, in command of the attacking forces.

AL. BALDWIN KNOCKS OUT ARENSON IN NINTH ROUND

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 30.—Al Baldwin, of Jacksonville, knocked out Charlie Arenson of Kansas City in the ninth round of a scheduled ten round bout here tonight. Arenson was felled in the seventh and eighth rounds. The men are feather-weights.

Harvey "Fighting" Thorpe of Kansas City and Jimmy Reagan of San Francisco, light-weights, fought a ten round draw.

BELIEVE WRECKAGE IS FROM MISSING LINER

New Orleans, Aug. 20.—Wreckage picked up in the gulf and brought into port tonight by the United Fruit Liner Suriname is believed by marine men to be debris from the liner Marowine, supposed to have been lost at sea two weeks ago. Several pieces of timber, apparently from the superstructure of a steamer, a paint cabinet such as the Marowine is known to have had aboard and an empty gasoline drum were among the objects found.

FAIL TO ADJUST DIFFERENCES.

Bridgeport, Conn., Aug. 30.—Numerous conferences held tonight in an effort to adjust the labor difficulties at many factories here were barren of results. The labor leaders gave out the usual optimistic statements that affairs were shaping themselves toward a satisfactory conclusion.

DEBERRY PLEADS GUILTY; IS SENTENCED TO HANG

COURT REFUSES FIRST PLEA UNTIL
ATTORNEYS ARE NAMED FOR NEGRO

Entire Proceeding Occupies Less Than Six Hours—Presence of Militia Serves to Awe Crowd and Prevent Violence.

Murphysboro, Ill., Aug. 30.—Joe Deberry, the negro who killed his benefactress, Mrs. J. H. Martin, in her home on July 30th, was indicted here today, pleaded guilty within a few minutes, again pleaded guilty when the trial court reconvened this afternoon and was sentenced to death.

The entire proceeding—indictment, plea of guilty, presentation of evidence to the trial judge and passing of sentence—occupied less than six hours.

Deberry was sentenced to be hanged between 6 a. m., and 6 p. m., on October 16th.

Crowds thronged the court room today and hundreds of persons were gathered in the streets. There were murmurings of mob violence, but the presence of three companies of Illinois National Guard served to awe the crowd and to prevent violence.

The presiding judge would not accept Deberry's plea of guilty until he had appointed two attorneys to represent the negro.

The negro in pleading guilty said he killed Mrs. Martin because she had refused to give him fifty cents. After being refused the money once, Deberry said, he took a poker with him and again demanded the money. When Mrs. Martin refused him a second time he beat her to death.

THREE ARE DANGEROUSLY HURT WHEN ALTON TRAIN IS DERAILED

MEXICO, Mo., Aug. 30.—Three persons were dangerously injured and eighteen others were cut and bruised when Chicago & Alton train No. 16 was derailed ten miles east of here late this afternoon. The most seriously injured are:

C. G. Daniel, Vandalia, Mo., president of the Vandalia Bankers' association, cut in back of head.

Bert Steels, Ladonia, Mo., leg broken, internal injuries.

Edward S. Wilson, Mexico, Mo., head cut.

Only the chair car and smoker left the track. The cause of the derailment is unknown.

TAFT DELIVER'S LECTURE ON THE PRESIDENCY AT BERKELEY

Former President Denies Existence of "Muckrakers Who Go About Criticizing the President."

Berkeley, Cal., Aug. 30.—William H. Taft delivered today in the Greek theater of the University of California the first of a series of three lectures on the "Presidency—Its Responsibility, Duties, Limitations and Powers."

Mr. Taft told in a personal vein many of his experiences while president and deplored the existence of "individuals and muckrakers who go about criticizing the president, his policies and the general scheme of government." The former president referred several times to Theodore Roosevelt. "Once when he was president," he said, "Jim Campbell, a political power in New York called upon Mr. Roosevelt and suggested some executive action."

"That would be contrary to the constitution," Mr. Roosevelt told him.

"What in the hell is the constitution among friends," inquired Mr. Campbell. I am not so sure, that Mr. Roosevelt in late years has not inclined somewhat to Mr. Campbell's way of thinking."

ONLY THIRTY KILLED IN FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATIONS THIS YEAR

CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—According to figures compiled by the American Medical association only thirty persons were killed in fourth of July celebrations this year. The statistics showed 1,130 were victims of accidents. Chicago heads the list of cities commended by the medical journal for "marked reduction in the total number of injuries," contributing only eight to the nation's roster of casualties. Philadelphia reported 21 and New York 272. Last year there were twenty-one casualties in Chicago, the city never having approached so closely to a clean record as in 1915. In the death column, however, Philadelphia, Newark, N. J., and Kansas City, each report only one person killed, two lost their lives in Cincinnati, five in Chicago.

FAMILY HOLDS 281ST ANNUAL MEETING.

San Francisco, Aug. 30.—The Emery family, in all its branches, opened a national meeting on the exposition grounds today. The meeting has been held annually for 280 years, since John and Anthony Emery came to America from England.

PAUL ARMSTRONG DIES.

New York, Aug. 30.—Paul Armstrong, the playwright, died suddenly at his home here tonight of heart disease. He was 46 years old. Mr. Armstrong was one of the prominent figures of the American stage during the last ten years. He was born in Kidder, Mo.

FRUSTRATE PLOT TO INCITE MEXICANS

Twenty-Six Are Arrested
By Authorities at
San Antonio

PLANNED TO TAKE TEXAS

Recent Uprising Caused Program for Establishment of New Government to Fail

MAY FILE TREASON CHARGES

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 30.—With the arrest here today of twenty-six Mexicans, Chief of Police Lancaster and federal authorities tonight announced that a plot to incite the Mexican population of San Antonio to deeds of violence had been frustrated.

Followers of "Plan of San Diego."

The prisoners, according to Chief Lancaster, are followers of the so-called "plan of San Diego" promulgated by a party of Mexican agitators, which proclaims the "republic of Texas" to be governed by Mexicans. Recent uprisings in the lower Rio Grande valley caused the program for the establishment of the new government to fail and at the same time federal officials were put on their guard. Three of the leaders were arrested Sunday night while addressing a crowd of 1,000 Mexicans on the market plaza. The addresses were of an inflammatory nature and calculated to arouse the poorer classes of Mexicans to deeds of violence. Since the disturbances in the Brownville territory special agents of the United States department of justice and police officials have been keeping a close watch to prevent a possible uprising in San Antonio.

Last Sunday night speakers gathered about 1,000 Mexicans and in passionate bursts of oratory pictured to them the "persecution" of their fellows. Chief Lancaster, Police Inspector Mussey and Captain Welch heard the remarks.

Declares Its "No Harm to Kill Gringos"

"One speaker," Chief Lancaster said, "after abusing the president of the United States, the government of this country and the white race generally, openly declared 'it is no harm to kill a gringo.'"

It was at this point that the police charged the crowd and arrested the leaders but not without a fight. As the officers were withdrawing one of the Mexicans shouted: "Now is the time to rise. Let us kill the gringos."

The arrival of the police for the time being quieted all martial spirit.

Following the arrest of the leaders the police instituted a dragnet search. The prisoners will be placed in the custody of federal officials who said tonight that charges of treason, alleged effort to set on foot an armed expedition against the United States authorities, probably would be filed against them.

Kill Five Mexicans.

El Paso, Tex., Aug. 30.—Five Mexicans said to be cattle thieves were killed at Eagle Mountain, about thirty miles east of Sierra Blanca today by a posse composed of customs river guards, civilians and soldiers, according to authoritative advices tonight. It was said none of the posse was injured. Sierra Blanca a junction point of the Texas and Pacific and the Southern Pacific railways, is about 90 miles east of here.

Ordered to Confiscate Papers.

Laredo, Tex., Aug. 30.—Highly prejudiced news articles against the United States appearing in the Mexican press along the border, especially in some of the Monterey papers, have so inflamed the Mexican populace that United States customs officials have received orders, they admitted today, to confiscate any papers that tended to incite race hatred. Postal officials are reported to be taking steps to bar such papers from the mails.

An instance of the extreme lengths to which some of the stories go was seen recently in a local Mexican paper which reproduced an article published in Pueblo, Mexico, saying that Major General Hugh Scott, chief of staff of the United States army, had advised Villa to attack Nuevo Laredo and force intervention by the United States. A Monterey paper published an appeal to Mexicans to rise and recover portions of the United States formerly governed by Mexico. All of the issue reaching here were confiscated by customs officers.

CHEMISTS IN CONVENTION.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 30.—The American Chemical Society opened here today a four days convention, which is attended by the leading commercial chemists of the country. About 500 delegates were on hand when the meeting opened today. One of the chief matters of discussion is the manufacture of dyes and coal tar from wood.

AUTHORITIES PROBE MYSTERIOUS FIRES

FLAMES CAUSE LOSS OF MORE THAN
\$300,000 AT ST. CHARLES

Wild Rose Stock Farm is Damaged to Extent of \$150,000—Blaze at Doogie File Company's Plant Starts in a Peculiar Manner.

St. Charles, Ill., Aug. 30.—Authorities here tonight began an investigation intended to disclose the origin of three mysterious fires in this city during the past seventy-two hours, which resulted in a loss aggregating more than \$300,000.

The last of the conflagrations was discovered late today on the Wild Rose stock farm, one of the largest institutions of its kind in the state. The fire at the stock farm was extinguished late tonight after eight buildings had been destroyed and five horses and two mules burned to death. The loss was brought up to \$150,000.

The farm is owned by Herbert Crane, one of the wealthiest stock raisers in Illinois. He is said to be at present in New York. Last Friday night the plant of the Malleable Iron Works was destroyed by a fire of an unknown origin. The loss was in the neighborhood of \$200,000. Yesterday the Doogie File Company's plant was the scene of a blaze which, although quickly extinguished, started in a peculiar manner. Rumors that the Malleable Iron Works was manufacturing munitions of war and that horses were being sent to Europe for the allies opposed to Germany from the Wild Rose stock farm will be investigated.

FOREST FIRES ARE REPORTED FROM VANCOUVER TO MEXICAN LINE

None Are Large, But All Seem Stubborn—For the Most Part Damage Threatened is to Water Sheds.

San Francisco, Aug. 30.—Forest fires were reported along the Pacific slope from Vancouver to the Mexican line and east of Idaho. None was large, but all seemed stubborn. For the most part the damage threatened is to water sheds rather than standing timber.

Smoke from the fires clouded Puget Sound until navigation was perilous, two boats having suffered within a week. One grounded and the other was run down at her wharf. Many fires were burning to night in Oregon. Seven started by lightning in the vicinity of Medford, several days ago, still were giving trouble. Roseburg reported fires still burning after destroying much timber and grain.

Ten miles east of Bonner's Ferry, Idaho, a fire summoned 250 forestry department men after passing beyond control of the local forester and his assistants while another was burning near Lake View on Lake Pend Oreille.

In California, the fifth blaze in two weeks broke forth today near Montecito, a suburb of Santa Barbara, a coast and winter resort for many weather easterners.

SIGN CONTRACTS FOR FINANCING TRANS-PACIFIC STEAMSHIP LINE

Chinese - American Company Is Now Negotiating for the Purchase of Ships.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 30.—Contracts for the financing of a \$5,000,000 Chinese-American Trans-Pacific Steamship company have been signed by American and Chinese capitalists, who now are negotiating for the purchase of ships, according to an announcement made here today by Dr. V. K. Wellington Koo, China's first minister to Mexico, who arrived today on the Steamer Persia. Dr. Koo, although he declined to name the American bankers behind the new company, said that practically all of the great banks of China were its backers.

Dr. Koo said that he had only meager details of the plans of the new line but was told that its steamers would fly the Chinese flag. Difficulties in the purchase of ships, at this time, he said, were delaying the actual inauguration of operation.

"It is the fruit of the first visit of our industrial commissioners to this country several months ago," said Dr. Koo.

The new Chinese minister to Mexico, who is only 29 years old and boyish in appearance, was recited about China's political complications.

FAVOR SUBMITTING QUESTION TO PEOPLE.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 30.—Kentucky Progressives in state convention here today declared in favor of submitting to a vote of the people the question whether the state constitution should be so amended as to prohibit the manufacture and sale of liquor. They also endorsed woman suffrage and a non-partisan judiciary. Fred J. Drexler, of Louisville, is the Progressive nominee for governor.

ORDUNA REACHES LIVERPOOL.

New York, Aug. 30.—Word of the safe arrival at Liverpool of the Cunard Liner Orduna was received here today. The Orduna left New York, Aug. 21st.

AUSTRO-GERMANS STILL PRESS RUSS

London Observers Hope
Equinoctial Storms Will
Limit Advance

GERMANS CAPTURE LIPSK

Von Hindenburg's Forces Along
the Dvina River in Courland
Renew Their Activities

TURKS CLAIM SUCCESSES

LONDON, Aug. 30.—While the ports from the eastern war theatre, embracing the region from Courland to Southeastern Galicia, indicate that the Germans and Austrians are still pressing the Russians hard in combat or tenaciously following them in retreat, military observers here are hoping that the approaching equinoctial season will limit the further forward movement of the Teutons and force them to be content with the fruits of their past successes as the winter season falls upon them.

Von Hindenburg Renews Activities.

Both Berlin and Vienna lay emphasis on the statement that Field Marshal Von Hindenburg's forces along the Dvina river in Courland have renewed their activities, which were brought to a sudden halt recently with the success of the Russians in holding Riga as a menace to Von Hindenburg's rear. In southwestern Russian in the Brest-Litovsk region the Austrians and Germans are chiefly concerned in driving Grand Duke Nicholas' army further in the "Prut Mountains, evidently with the purpose of repeating the early score of the Germans in the Mazurian region of East Prussia."

To the northwest in the sector lying only a short distance to the east of the East Prussian frontier, Berlin reports an advance of the Teutons and the capture of the town of Lipsk, lying just to the west of the Fortress of Gredno, upon which the aims of the Germans now are evidently centered.

Expect Storms to Stop Advance.

With the opening of the autumn months, the military observers are directing attention to the fact that the Russian equinoctial storms are soon due to begin. They assert that they are the danger limit to military operations in the eastern field.

It is recalled by some of these observers that the autumnal equinox marked the turning point in the Napoleonic campaign.

The first warning was a light snowfall, preceding the equinox, but soon afterward heavy snows fell and with them came disaster to Napoleon.

Desperate fighting continues in the Dardanelles in the vicinity of the spot where the British recently made their landing. The Turkish reports claim the recapture by the Ottoman forces of allied trenches with heavy allied casualties. These claims however, have not yet been conceded by Great Britain. The military operations in the western field have been confined to trench fighting. On the Austro-Italian frontier, the Italians claim that their forces are slowly advancing northward.

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WILL VOTE ON LOCAL OPTION AGAIN.

According to the Beardstown Star preliminary steps are being taken to bring about another vote on the local option question in that city. The petitions are already being circulated to get the necessary names to have the proposition submitted.

The move is being promoted by the Women's Christian Union of Beardstown and they are feeling out the voting strength carefully and expect to make a vigorous campaign. The proposition was defeated last spring by a majority of 248 votes and the dries are confident that they can if they can't overcome it will cut it down to a very small number.

STREET RAILWAY HAULED MANY PASSENGERS

One of the most certain evidences of the increased attendance at the chautauqua this year was the statement made yesterday by Supt. Miser relative to the street car business. Mr. Miser said that during the chautauqua this year the receipts were \$200 greater than last year, which means that 6,000 more passengers were handled this year by the railway company.

HAS SAILED FOR NEW YORK.

Director Kritch of the Conservatory of Music has received word from Paul Beebe who will teach cello at the Conservatory the coming year, that he sailed from Berlin for New York on August 1. He is expected in the city in a few days.

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The City Government.

One of the theories on which the commission form of government law was built is that an officer who is paid a sufficient salary to justify him in devoting the larger part of his time to city affairs is more likely to give efficient service than is one serving wholly as a matter of patriotism. The affairs of a city of this size require officers who will devote the needed hours each day to the business. In a town or village the time required for service as mayor or trustee is insignificant, and citizens are frequently found who are willing to undertake the offices without pay at all. With the city in its present financial condition and with an efficient set of officers but recently elected, good business judgment does not dictate a change. Possibly the present city officers have not done everything that you as a voter may have expected or desired; possibly the present city officials have not made exactly the appointments that you hoped or desired; but do these facts give any basis for the reasoning that if you elect another mayor and a set of aldermen that their acts and their appointments will be just as you would have them?

The success of efficiency of a municipal government cannot be judged by any one particular act but must be judged by the general total. The present officers have only been in power a few months and have not had the opportunity yet to accomplish many things, but a fair-minded consideration of their acts thus far certainly indicates a desire to serve Jacksonville honestly and efficiently.

Influence of the Movies.

In the olden days we used to go to the old-fashioned melodrama and see the hero or the heroine triumph over the villain. By a strange coincidence these personages were always poor but proud. That was good wholesome food for the audience and we always applauded the triumph of the heroes and heroines and laughed in glee when the villain was foiled.

Times have changed with the advent of the moving pictures. One was exhibited in a local house a few days ago that makes us cease wondering that censorship has been placed on the moving picture makers. This picture first showed a play ground for millionaire's children and then by contrast it showed the tenement house district with countless children playing in the street and the distribution of free ice.

The greatest unrest in this country is kept alive by the constant contrast between the condition of the extremely rich and those extremely poor. Such pictures are sure to cause ill feeling and envy especially in the larger cities where wealth conditions vary so greatly. It is true that a large proportion of the population of this country is composed of what is known as the middle classes. But even this class is affected.

It is perhaps no exaggeration to say that many of the divorces in this country are caused by families of moderate means trying to emulate the example set by the rich in their display of wealth. It is to be hoped that the day will come when such things will not be brought to public notice especially through the medium of moving pictures. Moving pictures have a great future before them and should result in untold good to the world. But only those which show the wholesome things in life should be permitted.

Golf Nerve.

The local renewed interest in golf lends interest to Jerome Travers' article in the American about "Golf Nerve Under Fire." Mr. Travers has been four times open golf champion of the United States and present open champion of America, and writes an interesting article entitled, "Golf Nerve Under Fire." He tells many stories of great players and makes the point that experts have their bad days just the same as "duffers" do. In the following extract taken from his article Mr. Travers tells about the man he thinks is the nerviest golf player in the world:

"To my mind, if there was ever a man in golf possessed of so-called iron nerve, or lack of nerves, it was John Ball, eight times amateur champion of Great Britain. He was as stolid as a rock at all times. Apparently a tournament meant nothing to him. It has been recorded how on one occasion, just before a final round for the British championship was to be started, he was found working in his garden with no thought of golf in his head and he only came away to play his match with great reluctance.

"Yet I saw even the iron-hearted Ball show the effect of a nervous upset. In the British championship at Sandwich he had come to the eighteenth hole one-up. All he needed here against his opponent was a halved hole to win the match. Playing this hole Ball was only twelve feet from the pin in two, while his rival was off the edge of the green. There seemed to be no chance for Ball to be beaten. He had a half at least sewed up, but in my entire career I don't believe I ever saw a man take as long for one shot as Ball's opponent did from the edge of the green. He must have taken at least five minutes, and it seemed like five hours before he was through. He finally clipped up within three feet of the cup. By this time Ball had evidently become nervous over the long delay for he putted only half way, missed the next putt, lost one hole and then the match, on the nineteenth green."

The Chautauqua a Success.

The 1915 chautauqua has passed into history and can be truthfully termed a success. The directors conceived a new idea in chautauqua management when they placed the tickets at one dollar. Many persons familiar with chautauqua affairs said it could not be done successfully but the local directors have given certain proof that with wise planning the working that the \$1 chautauqua can exist in such a community as this. Not only did the chautauqua pay its way but the greater part of the \$700 debt carried over from last year can be paid from the receipts.

The purpose of the chautauqua is educational. Its influence is helpful and uplifting, tending toward higher standards of citizenship and a better understanding of the really important things of life. So a chautauqua with 4000 tickets sold at \$1 has made just twice the advance of a like enterprise with 2000 tickets sold at \$2. The dollars do not afford the measure of influence. It is the number of people that furnish this measure and the greater the number of people who give their interest and support to the chautauqua the greater the good accomplished.

A very expensive program was provided this year and the attractions were of such a varied character that the tastes of all were given some consideration. The discussion of a number of farm topics was especially valuable in this community and it can certainly be said that hundreds of people, yes thousands, became better informed upon many topics because of the chautauqua program. The farm topics had their local phase while other themes discussed had nation wide importance. Socially also the chautauqua influence is excellent and the annual gathering means a great deal to a large number of people who for one reason and another utilize the week for delightful, economical vacation period. The chautauqua has its business side too and each year is attracting a larger number of visitors from outside territory.

The directors are certainly to be congratulated because of their successful work. They have devoted a vast amount of time unselfishly to the enterprise and have no remuneration other than the satisfaction which attends duties well performed. A part of their good judgment was displayed in securing H. H. Bancroft as platform manager for his very efficient, tactful service contributed largely to the success of the ten days. It is gratifying to note that through the interest shown by the people at large and centralized by the directors that the 1916 chautauqua is already assured.

WOMEN IN THE NEWS.

Atlanta—The United Daughters of the Confederacy plan to establish a unique monument to the lost cause of the Confederacy. It will be an entire mountain of granite, beautified and inscribed, standing like the Pyramids of old. The Atlanta chapter has secured the services of Gutzon Borglum, the noted sculptor, to devise the plan for this monument. Stone Mountain has been offered to the Daughters by Mr. Samuel Venable, and it is there the notable memorial to the brave men of the South will be dedicated.

Kansas City, Mo.—The women of Kansas are allowed a wide latitude under the laws of the Sunflower State that their sisters do not enjoy in other sections of the United States. Here are some of the things she may legally do. Take her maiden name after her husband dies, without legal process. Keep her own name when she is married. Can persuade her husband to take her name and give up his family name, if she does not like it. Or, she can retain her maiden name and hubby retain his. She can wear men's clothing without any restriction, except that she must not pose as a man. She can vote at any election, and can hold any office in the state and run for Congress.

Minneapolis—Miss Bessie Bennett, one of the art jury which is selecting the art works for the big State fair next week, is one of the most prominent American connoisseurs of art. She is in charge of the textiles and craft work at the Art Institute of Chicago, and is recognized as an authority on textiles. Each year she has installed the industrial art exhibition at the Chicago institute, which is the largest exhibition of its kind in the country.

London—Hon. Irv-Gordon Lennox, one of the prettiest girls in all England, is to wed the young Marquis of Titchfield, the son and heir of the Duke of Portland. She is six years older than the Marquis, who is only 22. She possesses much of the figure and features, as well as the cleverness and fascination of her famous aunt, the Countess of Warwick. Lady Gordon-Lennox is the niece of the Duke of Richmond and Gordon. Her father, the second son of the former Duke, served on the staff of General French.

New York—Friends of Miss Gladys Ravenscroft, the English golfer, have news from Liverpool of her engagement to Temple Dobell of Birkhead. Miss Ravenscroft has won all of the golf events open to ladies in her own country, and two years ago came to America and annexed many honors.

San Francisco—If the plan to na-

tionalize Poland is carried out, it is possible that an American girl may become the queen of Poland. She is Princess Poniatowski, formerly Miss Elizabeth Sperry of Stockton, Cal., who married Prince Andre Poniatowski, a Polish nobleman. Her husband has been among the first mentioned in the European capitals as a possible selection of the Russian Czar. The plan has been temporarily upset by the Russian loss of Poland, and, of course the lady herself might have to be consulted before she would consent to be queen of a war-swept land.

A PICTURE OF THE GREAT WAR FROM THE ENGLISH VIEW POINT

Dr. Spurgeon Gave Lecture at Baptist Church Monday Night—Charges Germany With Permitting Atrocities.

An interested audience heard Rev. William Spurgeon, D. D., at the First Baptist church last evening on "The Greatest War in History." The speaker said that he had no animus against the Germans, that he told only facts regarding the German government and his information was at first hand, accurate and unvarnished. He said in part:

"The cause of this awful war is unknown to the majority of the German people and could an honest vote be taken today a majority of the German nation would vote for its cessation. And what is it all about? Who began the disturbance of peaceful conditions? Who is responsible at the bar of God for the awful carnage? What was the excuse for invading Belgium? Germany said she had heard that France had Belgium had banded together to attack her. The absurdity of such a statement is patent when we remember the strength of the several nations and the actual facts. Had Germany succeeded in reaching Paris according to her first program it was her announced intention to levy a war indemnity of two thousand dollars. At the close of the war of 1870 she levied half that sum and was finally persuaded to accept 80 per cent of it.

"Poor little Belgium made the mistake of taking a Prussian emperor's word. The Belgians are an industrious pious people, not at all inclined to war or militarism and being cared for by the generosity of America, Holland and some others. I talked with a tottering old couple. They were living in peace and plenty in a beautiful home. Brutal Germans burned it over their heads without cause and they were turned out penniless. Helpless women were violated by the thousand. Even nuns in convents did not escape this treatment and it was the rule and not the exception.

"At the outset of the war a high German official said openly that they had no right to invade Belgium. Good Dr. Russell Conwell, gentle minister of the gospel in Philadelphia, in speaking of the atrocities on the field and the sinking of the Lusitania that such a people deserved to be wiped off the face of the earth. And the Kaiser has decorated a commander of the submarine that did the work.

"The assassination of the Austrian archduke was the cause of severe demands on Serbia. Earl Grey succeeded in getting a conference of nations to discuss and settle the matter and all agreed but Germany and there are good grounds for the opinion that Germany had a hand in bringing about the whole wretched business. A word from the German Kaiser would have saved the European war. Germany made a few mistakes. She expected to be in Paris last August; she thought the British wouldn't fight; she thought Italy would be on her side.

"The United States does not to enter the war and should not. It has armies available and a navy but it does not want to have a hand in the conflict. This country has prevented reservists from leaving for the front and it has sold food and munitions to the allies and why any reasonable person object to that it is hard to see. Germany and Austria have the same privilege to buy here that the others have and it is not the fault of this country if they can't get the material home. The allies are determined to fight till the war is justly ended and an honorable peace signed. They could drive the Germans from the west front now but it would take too many men and a wearing policy is most humane.

England is becoming tremendously aroused and the flag is to be seen everywhere. It seemed for a time as if Germany was getting ahead but she failed to get beyond the trenches of the allies. Russia seems to be getting the worst of it but already her cavalry are harassing the German rear and it is wholly possible that the army is walking into a trap.

"If the Dardanelles are opened as seems likely and Turkey crushed there will be a vastly different aspect of things. The allies will fight to a finish and will not let the spirit of militarism prevail. There is a righteously God in heaven. A brutal German officer entered a Belgian home and was treated to all that could be given him but not satisfied with that he tried to ruin the daughter of his host. Her mother shot him through the heart and the next day the whole family were shot by order of the German commander. Gen. Steiner issued an order to take no prisoners but to kill both sound and wounded men and it was done by the hundreds. These are not isolated cases but the rule and I positively know whereof I speak. There will surely be righteous outcome for the God of justice reigns and He will see that the right prevails."

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CITY AND COUNTY

Jeffrey Thomas of Quincy visited
the city yesterday.
Harvey Jones of Ashland paid the
city a visit yesterday.
T. J. Fisher of Robbhouse was a
city visitor yesterday.
Henry Teaney of Franklin made a
trip to the city yesterday.
John Frank is a business visitor
in Springfield and Peoria.
Clifton Davis, of Pisgah, was a
visitor in the city Monday.
J. H. Campbell of Lynville was
trading in the city Monday.
F. E. Beggs of Ashland transacted
business in the city Monday.
Clyde Taylor of Chapin paid the
city a business visit yesterday.
Harry Teaney of Franklin was a
visitor in Jacksonville Monday.
Try a bowl of MEXICAN CHILI
at GRAND CAFE.
L. R. Cooley of Quincy was call-
ing on local merchants Monday.
L. P. Sherrod of Bloomington spent
Monday in the city on business.
W. D. King of Barry was a busi-
ness caller in the city yesterday.
Herman Sparks of Franklin spent
Sunday with Jacksonville friends.
Mrs. N. G. Keplinger of Waverly
was a visitor in the city Monday.
W. E. Bell of the Grand Cafe, has
returned from a visit in Bushnell.
William Shields has gone to
Woodson for a visit of a few days.
Mrs. J. M. Miller of Winchester
was a shopper in the city Monday.
Liberty church chicken fry in Lib-
erty school yard Wednesday evening.
T. O. Connell of Murrayville made
a business trip to the city yesterday.
Clyde Manning of Murrayville was
a business visitor in the city yester-
day.
Dr. A. F. Streuter of Arenzville
was among Monday visitors in the
city.
Miss Elsie Hinners of Meredosa
was among Monday shoppers in the
city.
Dr. Wiley, of Winchester, made a
professional visit to the city yester-
day.
Archie Taylor and son made a
trip from Bluffs to the city yester-
day.
Loren B. Thompson of Virginia
visited the city Monday in his Jeffrey
car.
Mrs. H. A. Reynolds and son of
Perry were visitors in the city yester-
day.
J. M. VonOden of Rushville was
among the visitors in the city yester-
day.
Mrs. N. G. Keplinger of Waverly
was among the ladies shopping in the
city Monday.
Frank Ryan of Franklin was added
to the list of arrivals in the city
yesterday.
Miss Florence Bradshaw of White
Hall was among the city shoppers
yesterday.
Gene Grey of Nortonville had
business to attend to in the city
yesterday.
Miss Margaret Dunaway of Vir-
ginia was a visitor in Jacksonville
Monday.
Mrs. H. B. Carson and Miss An-
nie, Clary, of Ashland, were among

the out-of-town ladies shopping in
the city Monday.
John Votsmeier and his son, John
Jr., of Franklin, were shopping in the
city Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Alger of Bos-
ton, Mass., were Monday visitors in
Jacksonville.
Thomas Lawless of Alton was in
the city Monday attending to busi-
ness matters.
Mr. and Mrs. Arch Norris re-
turned yesterday evening from a visit
in Chicago.
Mrs. Maude Henry of East College
street has gone to Peoria for a visit
with friends.
Dr. L. W. Fulton of New Berlin
was a professional visitor in the
city yesterday.
Miss Elsie Baptist spent Sunday in
Havana, the guest of Mr. and Mrs.
Charles Wheeler.
I. M. Thomas of Quincy was at-
tending to business matters in the
city yesterday.
C. C. Allen of Springfield was at-
tending to business matters in the
city yesterday.
Dr. L. O. Frech of White Hall
was in the city Monday on profes-
sional business.
Harry McGee and son of the Shi-
loh neighborhood were visitors in
the city Monday.
M. A. Hulett of the vicinity of An-
tioch was transacting business in
the city yesterday.
Mrs. C. W. Rudisill of the north-
west part of the county was a city
shopper yesterday.
Frank Zirkle of the northeast
part of the county, called on city
friends yesterday.
J. O. Chamberlain of Murphys-
boro, Ill., was calling on Jacksonville
friends yesterday.
Miss Rose Devlin of the Harmon
dry goods store is enjoying a vaca-
tion of two weeks.
Mrs. O. H. Euhman has returned
home from a visit with her mother
in East St. Louis.
Mr. and Mrs. John Wynn and son
Russell of Franklin, were shopping
in the city Monday.
Mrs. Grover French and son,
Knowles, are visiting at the home
of Mrs. Sue Hauser.
Mr. and Mrs. John Winn and son
Russell helped represent Franklin
in the city yesterday.
Miss Rena DeFrate has returned
to Springfield after a visit with
home folk in the city.
Elmer Ellis left Monday afternoon
for a business trip of several days in
Stoutsville and Paris, Mo.
Bert Rawlings and family drove
into the city yesterday from the
southeast part of the county.
Miss Irene Spears will leave this
morning for a visit of several days
with relatives near Waverly.
Miss Lucy Sangster of Farmer
City has returned to take her place
as head trimmer at Waddell's.
Mrs. Frank H. Cogswell of West
Lafayette avenue is entertaining her
sister and children, of Texas.
Mrs. A. J. Hoover of West Col-
lege avenue has gone for a visit with
relatives and friends in Lincoln.
Mr. and Mrs. Howard McCullough
of Riggsport were numbered among
the arrivals in the city yesterday.
William N. Hargrove returned
last evening from Springfield, where
he appeared in the federal court.
Mrs. C. P. Snoddy of Marshall,
Mo., is in Litterberry for a visit with
her daughter, Mrs. Earl Rexroat.
Mrs. W. E. Patterson and son,
Hugh, are at home after a visit at
the home of her father in Monmouth.
Mrs. James Florence is a guest at
the home of her niece, Mrs. E. I.
Austin at 812 West Railroad street.
Miss Clara Cobb, principal of the
First Ward school, has returned from
an outing of some weeks in the west.
Miss Ella Minter has returned from
New York city and has resumed
her duties with F. J. Waddell & Co.
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Campbell
and Miss Margaret Campbell of Vir-
ginia were in Jacksonville yester-
day.
Paul Theobald, of Bissell street,
left Monday for Shelbyville where he
is a member of the high school fac-
ulty.
Attorney D. J. Staley tomorrow
will remove his office from the
unity building to room 3 in Scott
block.
Miss Margaret Burns of West Col-
lege avenue has returned from a vaca-
tion visit with Murrayville home
folk.
Mrs. S. M. Carlson has gone to St.
Louis for a visit with Mr. and Mrs.
Emil Carlson and Miss Corinne Carl-
son.
Mrs. T. S. Patterson of 714 Har-
din avenue, has gone to Athensville
to visit at the home of her son, Harry
Patterson.
William Barryman and mother, of
Chicago, who have been visiting Mrs.
M. Nielsen and L. Olenslager return-
ed to Chicago.
Mrs. Eva Coker of Pisgah was a
guest Monday at the home of her
mother, Mrs. H. M. Lansing on North
Prairie street.
Miss Marjorie Connor of Little
Rock, Arkansas, is visiting at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ayers
of this city.
Attorney Earl E. Rosinagon was
yesterday engaged in removing to
his office on the 7th floor of the Ayers
bank building.
Mrs. Ethel Shortridge and mother
are down from Ashland visiting Mrs.
Shortridge's son, Ray, and family on
Hardin avenue.
Mrs. Sarah Pogue returned Mon-
day to her home in Waverly after
a visit at the home of relatives and
friends in the city.
Mrs. Elizabeth Johnson is again
at her place in Herman's ready to
wear and millinery store after a vaca-
tion of two weeks.
Misses Margaret Dewitt, Jessie Al-
len and Macon Sanders have return-
ed from a very pleasant visit with
friends in St. Louis.
Mrs. A. L. Adams, daughter, Hel-
on, and the baby were arrivals home
last night from a sojourn of some
months in Colorado.
Miss M. Bea Ellis of Pine street
is expected home today after a visit
with her friend, Miss Pearl Piper,
and relatives in Canton.

Mr. and Mrs. William Williamson,
of 122 Hardin avenue, are at home
after a visit with her brother, Wil-
liam Probst in Chicago.
Mrs. Naomi Martis returned last
night from Chicago where for the
past ten days she has attended the
Spirella Training school.
Miss Helen Rodems of the Harmon
dry goods store, is on duty again after
a vacation of ten days, spent with
relatives in Springfield.
Miss Molly Harris has returned to
her home in Pisgah after attending
the chautauqua, where she was the
guest of Miss Elsie Moxon.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry McGhee and
son, all residing northeast of the
city, have returned from a pleasant
visit with friends in Indiana.
The Wabash train arriving here at
9:45 o'clock will stop for those who
want to attend the Liberty church
chicken fry Wednesday evening.
Miss Mayne Halpin, of Pittsfield,
after a visit in this city left Monday
for a visit at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. O. C. Henry, in East St. Louis.
L. E. Stone, a graduate of Illi-
nois college, and now in the U. S.
attorney's office at Springfield, ar-
rived in the city last evening on busi-
ness.
Mrs. James Read, of Springfield,
was a visitor in Jacksonville Mon-
day and will visit at the home of
her brother, Lester Polite, in Rood-
house.
Miss Mary Wright has returned
to her home in Franklin after a visit
at the home of her sister, Mrs. A.
L. Henderson of South Diamond
street.
J. W. Prince of 860 Grove street
is at home after a sojourn of a month
in Washington, D. C., Ashbury Park,
Atlantic City, Baltimore and in New
York city.
Mr. and Mrs. Otto Muelhauser and
Miss Clara Beck have returned from
Chicago after a three days' visit.
Frank F. Taylor, third truck op-
erator at the Wabash, is spending
Monday and Tuesday with friends in
Quincy.
Miss Carrie Henderson of West
Lafayette avenue has returned from
Assumption, where she spent her
vacation. She was the guest of
Mrs. L. A. Tripp.
Mrs. Frank Zerkle of Sinclair was
a visitor in Jacksonville yesterday.
Frank Krebs of Waukegan and
Otto Krebs of Chicago are in the city
for a stay of several days. They
are visiting their sister, Mrs. Asa M.
Robinson and mother, Mrs. Anton
Krebs, on North Main street.
Mrs. A. J. Bandy and children of
Beardstown are visiting at the home
of Charles Laney and L. A. Barn-
hart.
A. J. Hubbard, employed by Chas.
Daney & Co., has gone to Goreville,
Ill., called by the illness of his
father.
The Rev. T. H. Marsh and family
expect to leave today for their home
in Aurora. Rev. Mr. Marsh com-
pleted his temporary pastorate at
First Baptist church Sunday.
Dr. J. B. Perkins of Franklin was
a visitor in the city yesterday.
Miss Margaret Coultas, of Win-
chester, after a visit at the Brooklyn
parsonage with the family of Rev.
and Mrs. W. W. Theobald, has gone
to her home.
Miss Mayne Ryan has ended a vaca-
tion enjoyed with friends in
Springfield and elsewhere and has
resumed her duties in the Wool-
worth store.
Dr. A. E. Obermyer and wife drove
through the city Sunday in their
Case car to the home of Dr. Ober-
myer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter
Obermyer, of Winchester.
Mrs. Robert Beavers of the north
part of the county and Mrs. Jesse
Litter of Litterberry have returned
from a visit enjoyed with friends in
Plainville, Adams county.
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Violett and
son were down to the city yesterday
from Philadelphia, Cass county, on
their way to Franklin called by the
death of Mr. Violett's mother.
Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Bruce of
Springfield are making a brief visit
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S.
Camp on West College avenue.
They made the trip in their Reo car.
Miss Effie M. Theobald has gone
to White Hall where her services
have been engaged in the domestic
science department in the high
school for the coming school year.
Frank H. Krebs of Waukegan and
Otto Krebs of Chicago are in the city
visiting their sister, Mrs. Asa Robin-
son and family on North Main street
and their mother at the same place.
Miss Anastasia McCormick has
ended a vacation of a few weeks
spent with friends in Chicago and
St. Louis and has returned to her
duties at the Harmon dry goods
store.
Judge and Mrs. W. E. Thomson of
Clay avenue are entertaining an-
ticipating guests, Mrs. S. C. Willard of Topeka,
Ill., mother of Mrs. Thomson, and
Miss Jessie Willard, his sister of
Chicago.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hitchens, who
for some weeks past have been visit-
ing Litterberry relatives, left Sunday
for Bath, where they will tarry a few
days before going to their home in
Ringwood, Ill.
Frank E. McCurley of the vicinity
of Woodson was in the city yester-
day. He reports his wife who has
been ill at the home of her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gallagher,
able to return home.
Charles D. Hickey, who has been
employed at the local Postal Tele-
graph office left Sunday night for
Chicago and will go from there to
Lawton, Wis., to take charge of an
office for the Postal company.
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Nicholson of
the vicinity of Clark's Chapel, have
returned from a visit with friends
and relatives in different parts of
Indiana. They report as great an
excess of water there as here and
equally bad results.
Mr. and Mrs. Luther Mason of
Canton are in the city visiting Mr.
and Mrs. Fred Drake of Caldwell
street. Mr. Mason is engaged in the
hardware business in Canton and is
president of the Hardware Dealer's
association of Illinois. He former-
ly resided in Winchester.

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West Morgan street, have returned
from a sojourn of three weeks in the
west. They visited El Paso, Texas,
and Los Angeles, going thence to
Pasadena where Mr. McCarty saw
his brother-in-law, F. W. Fanning.
Mr. Fanning went to California some
weeks ago for his health and is much
improved. Mr. and Mrs. McCarty
visited friends in San Francisco and
attended the exposition, with which
they were well pleased. They called
at Salt Lake City and Denver on
their return.

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THE JOHNSTON AGENCY

BIG MEETINGS AT WHITE HALL TAKE STEPS FOR GOOD ROADS

Large Delegations Attend the Meetings of the Burlington Trail and Big Four Trail Associations Monday in White Hall—The Rock Island Division.

Large delegations of road boosters went to White Hall Monday to attend meetings of the Burlington Trail and Big Four trail associations and the town seemed filled with autos and good roads enthusiasts. More than four hundred automobiles were there from outside of White Hall. The Burlington Way directors had a meeting in the afternoon in the parlors of the Stock hotel and voted to extend the trail into Minnesota. They then joined the Big Four trail boosters in session at the Princess theatre.

At the Burlington way meeting the opinion prevailed that the route through southern Morgan county should be changed and thus, bringing the road into Murrayville from the east instead of from the north, avoiding a strip of bad roads. Cass county reported good progress in oiling and all of the twenty-five supervisors seemed well united in favor of oiling. A meeting will be held in Astoria Sept. 27 to decide between two routings for the projected "Rock Island division," of the Burlington way and at the same time the proposal to change the main line north of Rushville so as to run through Carthage, Hamilton, Nauvoo, and Keokuk, will be considered. One of the proposed routes for the new division is through Canton and the other through Monmouth. The invitation to meet in Astoria was tendered through A. N. Price. R. L. Mason of Canton, president of the State Hardware association, spoke for the route through his home city, while J. H. McLaughlin, secretary of the Monmouth Commercial club presented the claims of his city.

The routes were presented the Big Four trail association for choice between White Hall and Pittsfield. The way through Hillview and Pearl was superseded by the claims of the road through Roodhouse, Manchester, Alsey, Glasgow, Montezuma, Time and Pittsfield. Orange and black is the color of this trail, which will ultimately extend from Indianapolis to Kansas City.

MRS. WILEY ENTERTAINS MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of Alexander M. E. church met for a profitable afternoon Monday at the home of Mrs. Luther Wiley. Mrs. Margaret Colwell led the devotion and Mrs. Claude Keenan had the "mystery box" in charge. During the social hour which followed the regular business, delicious refreshments were served by the hostess. The mite boxes were opened at this meeting.

One new member was added to the society, Mrs. Kenneth Beerup and a number were present besides the regular members. Among these were Mrs. M. E. Greenleaf, Mrs. Mabel Lawson, Miss Elizabeth Snyder, Mrs. S. A. Moats, Mrs. John Morgan, Mrs. William Aulbaugh, Mrs. J. T. Little and Mrs. W. H. Schott.

STATE STREET PRAYER SERVICE RESUMED.

With the prayer meeting service Wednesday night, the mid-week meetings which were adjourned during the chautauqua season, will be resumed. Dr. Morey will lead Wednesday night and the Rev. H. D. French, who is expected to arrive from Chicago tomorrow, will probably be present.

HAVE TAKEN AGENCY FOR JEFFREY CAR

C. W. Jacobs and his brother-in-law, Mr. Meyer, have formed a partnership for handling the Jeffrey car in this locality. They arrived in Jacksonville yesterday with a 1916 model Six which they had driven through from Kenosha, Wis., where the factory is located. The Jeffrey is made by one of the well established automobile concerns and is a car with many fine points.

MANY PLAYING GOLF.

That Jacksonville has long needed a public golf links is being demonstrated by the large number who journey to Nichols park every afternoon. Monday several members of the Eagles ball team bought golf clubs and golf balls and went out to try their luck. In addition to this all of the newspaper workers are getting the fever and are so busy talking golf that they can't attend to their work.

COMMITTEE WILL MEET.

Thomas H. Buckthorpe chairman, has called a meeting of the committee for solicitation of funds for the pavement of Morton avenue east, to be held in the rooms of the Chamber of commerce Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Everybody interested is requested to attend and bring their subscription lists.

ENTERTAINING CLASSMATE.

Pres. C. H. Rammelkamp is enjoying a visit from a classmate at Cornell, Prof. W. H. Glasson of Trinity college, Durham, North Carolina. Prof. Glasson holds the chair of economics. He is making a brief stay in Jacksonville en route from California, where he attended the Panama-California and Panama-Pacific expositions.

James Carrigan of Mallard, Ia., is in Jacksonville for a visit with friends and relatives. Though Mr. Carrigan was born and reared in the city, this is the first time he has visited his old home in eleven years.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Claude E. Keltner, Eureka; Jean E. Lewis, Chapin.

PROBE OF CHARGES AGAINST GEN. CHASE STRIKE LEGAL SNAG

Two Witnesses Refuse to Answer Questions—Court of Inquiry Asks Opinion of Attorney General As to Its Powers.

Denver, Colo., Aug. 30.—The investigation of the charges against Adjutant General John Chase and of the men who made the charges, struck a legal snag late today. The court of inquiry, after two witnesses had defied its authority and refused to answer questions, asked Attorney General Fred Farrar for an opinion as to its legal status powers. In the meantime a former captain of the guard, ordered under arrest by the court was at liberty on orders from the governor.

The trouble started when C. B. Elliott, former adjutant general of West Virginia, and now reputed to be a detective in the employ of the United Mine Workers of America refused to answer questions regarding the alleged plot of detectives and labor leaders to wreck the state guard. The court contemplated the issuance of a body judgment for his arrest on charges of contempt but delayed action until certain of its rights had been decided. Then late today former Captain Philip S. Van Cise, who commanded the famous "college company" in the strike zone in 1913-14 and who later was the leader of an anti-Chase faction within the national guard was called to the stand.

All went serenely until the court asked Van Cise some questions which he refused to answer. The bailiff was ordered to place him under arrest. The captain refused to be arrested, saying he would appeal to the governor. Thereupon the witness and Lieutenant Colonel Edward J. Boughton of the military court, raced down their arble steps of the capitol to the office of the chief executive. Spectators declared it a dead heat.

Gov. Carlson decided that Van Cise should be released and the whole legal tangle submitted to the attorney general.

Late tonight the attorney general had not handed his opinion as to the right of the military court to force witnesses to testify. Lieut. Col. Boughton said the court would resume its sessions tomorrow, when it was expected the opinion would be ready.

PROPERTY OF WINONA ASSEMBLY AND SUMMER SCHOOLS IS SOLD

Purchase is Made by E. O. Excell in Behalf of the Old Management of the Assembly.

Warsaw, Ind., Aug. 30.—The property of the Winona Assembly and Summer Schools' association declared bankrupt several months ago, was sold late today to E. O. Excell, of Chicago, for \$100,000. Mr. Excell is president of the old board of directors of Winona and his bid, the only one offered, was made in behalf of the old management of the assembly. Creditors have claims of \$900,000 against the assembly.

Under the plan of re-organization creditors are to be offered property of the assembly to the amount of their claims. If they demand a cash settlement they will receive about ten cents on the dollar. William J. Bryan is to become president of the new organization.

The sale was conducted by Lloyd D. Claycombe, of Indianapolis, who has been acting as a trustee for the creditors.

RURAL INSTRUCTORS ATTEND COOK COUNTY TEACHERS' INSTITUTE

Miss Marie Turner Harvey Tells of the "One Room Rural School."

Chicago, Aug. 30.—Rural school teachers from all over the country attended the opening session today of Cook county teachers' institute and educational conference.

Miss Marie Turner Harvey, of Porter, Mo., who is said to be the originator of the "one room rural school," declared it to be her belief that the success of the plan was wrought about changing the country school into a community center.

"The one room rural school is not a place where country children are taught only the three "R's," but it is a place where the children, their grown up brothers and sisters, and their parents can all come and learn. The boys are taught manual training and agriculture and the girls are given instruction in domestic science and sewing. Scientific methods of agriculture are taught their fathers and the mothers receive instruction in various methods of canning and preserving fruits and berries."

"Our system of tests for imbecility in the public schools," said Dr. A. E. Winship, editor of an educational journal in Boston, Mass. "Formerly a pupil was called a 'star' if he did everything that his teacher told him to do, but now we have tests to show just how much the student really knows."

LEEVE ON BLACK RIVER BREAKS.

Little Rock, Ark., Aug. 30.—A levee on Black River, a tributary of the White, broke near Pochontas late today, adding several thousand acres to the flooded districts of North Arkansas. The break was not unexpected and the residents of the overflowed section escaped, but much livestock was lost and the damage to crops was heavy. The crest of the White river flood now has passed all important towns on its course and little additional damage is expected.

PROBATE COURT.

In the estate of G. W. Hoagland, the final report was approved and the estate declared closed.



HOLD JOHN W. BARNHARDT FOR WISCONSIN AUTHORITIES

Former Bank Director and Politician of Forest City, Ark., is Charged With First Degree Forgery and Attempted Murder.

St. Louis, Aug. 30.—Details of the fraudulent realty transactions of John W. Barnhardt, who also operated under the names of Adler, Kline and other aliases continued to pour into police headquarters here tonight, while Barnhardt, until recently a bank director and politician of Forest City, Ark., awaits extradition to Waukesha, Wis., on charges of first degree forgery and attempted murder.

Sheriff Sleep and District Attorney Evans of Waukesha arrived tonight to take Barnhardt back to the jail from which he escaped several weeks ago. Requisition papers from the governor of Wisconsin are due here tomorrow.

Messages describing widespread traffic in forgery warrants deeds and deeds of trust attributed to Barnhardt were received from Kansas City, Omaha, Fremont, Neb., Racine, Wis., Kalamazoo, Mich., Council Bluffs, Iowa, Champaign, Quincy and Danville, Ill., and Easton, Pa.

Barnhardt's chief concern tonight seemed to be over the welfare of his wife. It was his desire to see her which led to his arrest and the disclosure of his identity last night.

LETTERS ARE REFERRED TO WAR DEPARTMENT

Washington, Aug. 30.—Letters from various cities telling of alleged quiet but regular drills held by Germans in Turn-Verein and other halls, have been referred by the war department to the department of justice for investigation. According to one of the writers the Germans were supposed to be preparing to aid in repelling an invasion from Canada. Secretary Garrison indicated today that little importance was attached to the reports and that they had been turned over to the department of justice as a matter of course.

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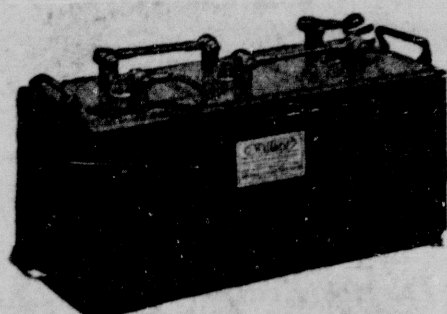
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U. S. WILL SHOW NO MERCY TO BOOTLEGGERS

Revenue Office Makes Statement In-
dicating That Federal Stamps Will
Not Give Offenders Much Protection
—Local Ordinance to Be Tested.

Some months ago the city case brought against the Burlington railroad under the anti-shipping ordinance passed by the council was appealed to the circuit court and Judge Jones' decision declared that the ordinance was defective. Subsequently an appeal was taken, but on account of technical errors did not come to a hearing in the supreme court. It was the expectation until recently that possibly this case might be reinstated by agreement between the city and the railroads in order that a finding of the court might be had upon the question. Especial interest attaches to the case because a number of other cities had passed anti-shipping ordinances based on the Jacksonville ordinance.

J. H. Danskin said yesterday that the plan of having the old case reinstated had been abandoned as the C. & A. and the Burlington roads were unwilling to get at the matter in this way. It is the intention therefore, Mr. Danskin said, of the local option forces to bring another case in a justice court, with the expectation that it will reach the supreme court sometime this fall in order that there may be a ruling. Notwithstanding the finding in the lower court on the ordinance, a great deal less liquor is now being shipped to Jacksonville than was true before the ordinance was adopted.

Some of the railroads refuse shipments of any kind and the express companies have also put a ban on shipments which originate within the state. J. L. Pickering, internal revenue collector for this district, has just issued a statement of the government's position with reference to revenue licenses held by bootleggers. The statement declares that the purpose of the government is to prosecute bootleggers known to be such, even if they have secured the government stamps. This statement indicates the desire of the government to co-operate as far as possible with communities where local option laws are effective, and it is avowedly not the intention of the government to provide protection for persons who are manifestly breaking the law in local option territory.

The statement on this subject issued by the revenue department is as follows:

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 27.
Collector of Internal Revenue J. L. Pickering of Springfield, advises us that bootleggers will not be protected by the Government. This was made plain recently when the Collector issued an order to his Division Deputies, located at Quincy, Urbana, Canton, Pekin, and Litchfield, calling their attention to a Decision of the Treasury Department, through the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, dated several years ago. It was not brought to the attention of the Collector until recently. A large part of the Eighth Collection District is included in what is called "local option territory" under the state laws of Illinois, and the following extract from the treasury decision furnishes cold comfort for those individuals who sell liquors in violation of the internal revenue laws:

"As the peddling of liquors, or so-called 'bootlegging' is not contemplated by internal-revenue law, and no provision is made for the issuance of any stamp which would legalize such practice, peddlers of liquors, or bootleggers are not to be regarded as coming within the meaning of the preceding paragraph, and should be arrested and reported for prosecution whenever found selling in such manner, even though the tax is paid by them within the calendar month in which the liability is reported or incurred."

"Persons engaged in the business of liquor dealers in localities in which such business is prohibited by local law are to be regarded as willful violators of the internal-revenue law, even though so engaged at a fixed place of business, unless the special tax is paid and the stamp displayed before business is begun. In all such cases special effort should be made to get definite evidence of sales, which should be reported to the United States attorney with recommendation for prosecution."

The collector states that prosecution will be recommended in case of violators as described above, regardless of whether or not they pay tax and penalty.

ATTENDED REUNION.
Mrs. Hattie Doying, of this city, is a guest of relatives in Monticello, Ind., and recently attended a reunion of the Thornton, Parker and Pearson families. Forty or fifty of those in attendance were cousins, nephews and nieces of Mrs. Doying, who is a sister of Mrs. Alfred Orton. All of those present are direct descendants of Major Henry P. Thornton, who was prominent in the early days in Indiana. Mrs. Addie Orton is the oldest living descendant and it was due to the efforts of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Orton and their daughter, Ora, that the reunion was held. It goes without saying that the event was very pleasurable, and it is the intention to make it an annual occasion.

IMPROVEMENT BOARD MET.
At the meeting of the board of local improvement held Monday morning following the council session, bids for the work of paving S. Main street from Morton avenue to Michigan avenue were authorized. The hearing for the East State street pavement was adjourned to Tuesday, Sept. 7, at 11 o'clock. The hearing for the West State street pavement was adjourned to Monday, Sept. 27, at 11 o'clock.

Miss Eileen Sharp of Springfield is in the city for a visit with Miss Della Shorne of South East street.

PUPILS GIVE RECITAL.

Miss Whorton's Class at Manchester
Evidence Excellent Training.

The pupils in piano of Miss Jessie Whorton gave a recital in the Baptist church at Manchester Monday. The program was an excellent one and the pupils showed the result of Miss Whorton's capable instruction. The program follows:

Duet Blake
Hazel Duncan Florence Lemon
Sweet Violet Smallwood
Ruth Rimbey
Youthful Joy Espen
Russell Knox
The Mill Barth
Polka Streaborg
May Robson
Jeunesse Harnish
Ruth Blackburn
Fairy Rose Heins
Lois Deane
Caprice Stone
Lida Hart
Fresh Life Spindler
Eva Tucker
Largo Pasternack
Garvotte Hilger
Ada Matthews
Pixies in Indian Village Brown
Marie Hanks
Mazurka Heins
Leta Howrd
In Tranquil Night Karoly
Lucille Hardy
Valse in E flat Major Durand
Florence Lemon
Narcissus Nevin
William Cooper
Sunset Nocturne Read
Dance of Sunbeams Cadman
Russell Knox
Nocturne op 9-No. 2 Chopin
Cinderella E. R. Kroeger
Louise Pearce
Mazurka de concert Pesard
Cora Lemon
Tarentelle Pleconka
Hazel Duncan
Mazurka Louise Pearce
Valse Caprice Stone
Florence Lemon
Barcarole Enna
Hazel Duncan
Dance of the Demons Holst
William Cooper
Du bist die ruh Schubert-Liszt
Louise Pearce
Spring Song Mendelssohn
William Cooper Louise Pearce

CRAP GAME ENDS

IN CUTTING AFFRAY.
As the result of a crap game Sunday at the house of Thomas Meadows near the old car shops at the foot of East College street, Carl Ross is in bed with a stab in the back and Claude King is a fugitive from justice. So far as the police can ascertain there were about eight men in the game.

As a result of the game the police arrested five of the men and warrants are out for the others. Two of the men paid their fines and Fred Griswold and Charles Bransom were before Justice Coons and were fined \$50 and costs. Being unable to pay the fine they were sent to jail. Chief Davis expects to apprehend all of the crap shooters as warrants have been issued for them and they probably will be gathered in soon.

UNIVERSITY PRESIDENTS

MEET AT OAKLAND
Oakland, Cal., Aug. 30.—The last of the big educational conventions at Oakland is that of the Association of State University Presidents, which opened this morning. It is expected that the criticism of the big universities for their opposition to the national university at Washington, will be renewed. It was brought out at the Washington meeting last November that some of the biggest universities have brought influence to bear to table the bill introduced by Congressman Fess of Ohio, which would provide for the great American national university, for research work at Washington.

BRITAIN FURTHER

RESTRICTS COAL
London, Aug. 30.—The new restrictions on shipment of British coal go into effect tomorrow. They chiefly affect the supply to the allies of Great Britain. Hereafter the allies must secure their coal elsewhere. No British coal can now be exported, except to British possessions and protectorates.

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LILLE.

Lille which has just celebrated the first anniversary of its German career, with the reverse pedal on, is a city of 200,000 people located 150 miles northeast of Paris.

It is a fortified city of the first rank and was undefended last year by twenty forts. The guns in these forts speak German as readily as they do French, which is a source of great grief to the people of Lille who have been busy paying for them for fifty years.

Lille is the most important city in northern France. In time of peace it makes linen thread, handles flax, weaves cloth, makes guns, locomotives and railroad supplies and entertains tourists. For the last year, however, it has been largely engaged in taking in boarders. Lille probably does the largest boarding house business on earth just now. The boarders are all German and do not pay anything at present, but their credit is simply magnificent.

FIRE MARSHALS WILL MEET IN CHICAGO IN SEPTEMBER

Are to Conduct Convention Along
Lines Similar to Those at the Conference of Governors in Boston.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 30.—State fire marshals from nearly every state in the union have promised to attend the tenth annual convention of the state fire marshals' association of North America to be held in Chicago, Sept. 10 and 11, according to Walter H. Bennett, state fire marshal.

Mr. Bennett says the fire marshals will conduct their meeting along lines similar to those at the conference of governors in Boston last week. There are to be round table discussions of proposed legislation relating to fire prevention, following addresses by fire marshals of various states.

The big subject of the convention will be started off with an address by Franklin H. Wentworth, of Boston, president of the National Fire Protection association. This concerns the question of individual responsibility for negligent or criminal fires.

Through the Underwriters' laboratories of Chicago the fire marshals will be treated to a motion picture exhibition of fire hazards, arson plants, and fire prevention and laboratory methods.

D. B. Sharp, fire marshal of Ohio, is to address the convention on the constitutionality of the provision of the law authorizing the state fire marshal to condemn and remove buildings that are fire hazards.

Moving picture theater regulation is to be the subject of one of the discussions. This will be led by J. L. Baldwin, fire marshal of Pennsylvania.

Fire Marshal Bennett, of Illinois, will address the convention on the teaching of fire prevention in the public schools.

COWELS DIVORCE CASE

UP TODAY
Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 30.—The Cowels divorce case, in which society men and women are named as co-respondents, is set for hearing today before Judge Pike. Mrs. Florence B. Cowles, the Brookline wife of Dr. Edwin S. Cowles of this city, has recently added to her divorce libel the names of Miss Florence Murphy of Boston, one time patient of the doctor, Miss Faith Marsh, a society girl of Winchester, Mass., and Mrs. Anne Wright of Westport, Conn., also formerly a patient. Dr. Cowles, in a cross libel filed recently named Dr. Harry W. Goodhall of Boston, a physician, and Harry Webster, a wealthy banker of Brattleboro, Vt.

The Cowles divorce trial is expected to be the most sensational heard in New England in many years. Cowles is a Virginian, and operates a sanitarium here. He figured in a row at the Boston navy yard some years ago, which resulted in a court martial of two young naval officers who knocked him down.

DRUGGISTS WHACK

PATENT LAWS
Minneapolis, Minn., Aug. 30.—An attack on patent laws that are declared to inflate prices and prevent research work in medicine will be made at the convention of the National Association of Retail Druggists, which opened here this morning for a week of activity. A demand for changes in the patent laws will be urged by the Minnesota association. It is expected that the National Association will consolidate with the American Pharmaceutical association, already associated with it in advancing the interests of druggists. The changes in the drug laws, the regulation of alcohol sales, and other important matters will be taken up.

SPANISH WAR VETS

TALK NATIONAL DEFENSE
Scranton, Pa., Aug. 30.—The national encampment of the United Spanish War Veterans opened here today, with the subject of national defense first and uppermost in the minds of the veterans. A committee to urge adequate defense will be appointed and resolutions endorsing defense measures will be adopted.

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GENE KRAPP BESTS JOE FIONERAN IN PITCHERS' DUEL; BUFFALO WINS

Home Run by Benny Kauff Gives
Brooklynites Their Only Run—
Pittseds Defeat Whales.

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 30.—Gene Krapp bested Joe Fioneran in a pitchers' battle this afternoon, giving the Buffalo Federals a two to one victory over Brooklyn in the final game of the series. A home run by Benny Kauff gave the visitors their lone tally.

Score: R. H. E.
Brooklyn .. 000 000 010—1 7 0
Buffalo .. 011 000 000—2 6 2
Batteries—Fioneran and Land; Krapp and Blair.

Pittsburgh, Aug. 30.—In a hard hitting game Pittsburgh defeated Chicago today by a score of 7 to 4. Neither Brown nor Barger was able to check the batting.

Score: R. H. E.
Chicago .. 100 001 200—4 13 1
Pittsburgh .. 300 120 010—7 15 3
Batteries—Brown and Wilson; Barger and Berry.

GRAND CIRCUIT MEET AT EMPIRE CITY OPENS TODAY

Lee Axworthy and Peter Scott Are
to Compete With Half a Dozen
Other Trotters for a Purse of \$5,000.

Yonkers, N. Y., Aug. 30.—The Grand Circuit meeting at the Empire City track here will open tomorrow with a race in which Lee Axworthy, 2:03 1-4, unbeaten this season and Peter Scott, 2:05 1-4, winner of five consecutive races, are to compete with a half dozen other trotters for the purse of \$5,000. The race promises to be in the nature of a renewal of the \$10,000 Merchants and Manufacturers stakes at Detroit, a month ago, all of the contending horses in that event having been entered for tomorrow's contest.

Another feature of the Grand Circuit opening will be the attempt of Directum 1, 1:58, to lower the world's record for pacers now held by him. The track promises to be fast.

Races for trotters of the 2:17 class and for pacers of the 2:15 class also are on the card, the purse in each event being \$1,000.

The meeting will continue four days. The national stakes, worth \$7,000 for 3 years old trotters, will be decided on Wednesday, along with the 2:18 trotting and the 2:07 pacing races.

EAGLES MET DEFEAT AT SPRINGFIELD SUNDAY.

Hartman Held Visitors to One Hit
—Game Was Well Played.

The Eagles were defeated at Springfield Sunday by the Thomas & Clark team. The score was 2 to 0. Hartman of the Thomas & Clark's held the Eagles to one hit while 7 were secured off of White. The score:

T. & C.'s .. AB. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Betcher, cf. 3 1 2 4 0 0
Fisher, ss. 3 0 1 1 1 0
Miles, 3b. 3 0 1 1 2 0
Strode, c. 2 0 0 10 3 0
Lanchner, lf. 3 1 1 2 0 0
Walsh, 2b. 2 0 0 0 2 0
Watling, lb. 3 0 1 8 0 1
Noll, rf. 1 0 0 1 0 0
Hartman, p. 2 0 1 0 2 0

Totals .. 22 2 7 27 11 1
*Batted for Leary in the 9th.
Score by innings:
Jacksonville .. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
T. & C.'s .. 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 2
Summary:
Stolen bases—Strode and Betcher.
Two-base hits—DePrates and Dauchner.
Struck out—By Hartman, 10; by White, 6. Bases on balls—Off Hartman, 15; off White, 3. Sacrifice hit—Walsh. Time of game—1:30.
Umpire—Reynolds.

PHILADELPHIA DOWN CARDS.
Philadelphia, Aug. 30.—A freak home run drive by Whitted with one man out in the tenth inning gave Philadelphia a victory over St. Louis today 4 to 3. Whitted's drive struck the bleachers wall, bounded against Betcher's chest and caromed into the stand.

Score: R. H. E.
St. Louis .. 002 000 010—3 10 2
Philadelphia .. 000 000 010—4 12 1
Batteries—Meadows, Perdue and Snyder; Alexander, Mayor and Kilmer.

SOX DEFEAT LAFAYETTE.
Lafayette, Ind., Aug. 30.—The Chicago Americans defeated the Lafayette Red Sox 4 to 1 in an exhibition game here today.

Score: R. H. E.
Chicago .. 000 310 000—4 10 0
Lafayette .. 000 000 001—1 3 2
Batteries—Walsh, Davis and Daly; Schalk; Moore and Schwab.

FORT WAYNE WINS FROM CLEVELAND.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Aug. 30.—The Fort Wayne Central league team won an exhibition game from the Cleveland Americans here today, 7 to 4. Catcher Haworth, of Cleveland, suffered a fracture just above the right ankle while sliding. The score:

Score: R. H. E.
Cleveland .. 200 200 000—4 10 2
Fort Wayne .. 000 000 007—7 7 2
Benton, Jones and Haworth; Fohl, Hart and Beyers.

E. J. Howells, district manager of the Central Union telephone system made a business trip to Beards town Monday.

HOW THEY STAND.

| American League. | | | |
|------------------|----|----|------|
| Boston | 79 | 39 | .669 |
| Detroit | 79 | 43 | .648 |
| Chicago | 73 | 47 | .608 |
| Washington | 69 | 57 | .553 |
| New York | 55 | 60 | .478 |
| St. Louis | 47 | 73 | .392 |
| Cleveland | 45 | 74 | .378 |
| Philadelphia | 36 | 81 | .308 |

| National League. | | | |
|------------------|----|----|------|
| Philadelphia | 65 | 50 | .565 |
| Brooklyn | 65 | 56 | .537 |
| Boston | 66 | 55 | .526 |
| Chicago | 58 | 59 | .496 |
| St. Louis | 58 | 63 | .479 |
| New York | 54 | 69 | .474 |
| Pittsburgh | 57 | 64 | .471 |
| Cincinnati | 54 | 65 | .454 |

| Federal League. | | | |
|-----------------|----|----|------|
| Pittsburgh | 67 | 52 | .563 |
| Newark | 64 | 51 | .557 |
| Chicago | 66 | 57 | .537 |
| Kansas City | 66 | 57 | .537 |
| St. Louis | 65 | 57 | .533 |
| Buffalo | 60 | 66 | .524 |
| Brooklyn | 57 | 67 | .460 |
| Baltimore | 40 | 78 | .334 |

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

American League.
Chicago at Detroit.
Cleveland at St. Louis.
New York at Washington.

National League.
Pittsburgh at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at Boston.
Chicago at New York.
St. Louis at Philadelphia.

Federal League.
Chicago at Pittsburgh.
Newark at Buffalo.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

American League.
No games scheduled.

National League.
First game, Philadelphia vs. St. Louis wet grounds.
Second game, Philadelphia, 4; St. Louis, 3. (Ten innings).
New York-Chicago, rain.
Brooklyn-Pittsburgh, rain.
Boston-Cincinnati, rain.

Federal League.
Newark-Baltimore, two games postponed, wet grounds.
Pittsburgh, 7; Chicago, 4.
Buffalo, 2; Brooklyn, 1.
No other game scheduled.

American Association.
Minneapolis, 3; Milwaukee, 13.
Indianapolis, 2; Columbus, 11.
No other games scheduled.

Freeport, 1; Quincy, 2. (10 innings).
Davenport, 3; Peoria, 11.
Moline, 8; Bloomington, 6.

Central Association.
Cedar Rapids, 6; Burlington, 1.
Mason City, 2; Muscatine, 1.
Marshalltown, 1; Clinton, 14.
Waterloo, 0; Keokuk, 1.

Western League.
Lincoln, 3-4; Omaha, 1-5.
No others scheduled.

'MORNING GLANCES' (By Gosh)

The Eagles lost to the Thomas and Clark team at Springfield yesterday by a score of 2 to 0. The Eagles were without the services of Clark and probably had been with the team the result would have been different. Hartman was credited with pitching a one hit game against the Eagles while White was touched up for seven safeties.

Harry Clark played center field for Ashland yesterday. He was not able to get a safety and Ashland lost to Carlville. Lamline who a few years ago was one of Rowland's best pitchers at Dubuque was on the mound for Carlville. Cy Rolphs pitched for Ashland.

Philadelphia won from St. Louis yesterday by a score of 4 to 3. The game went ten innings and was won by Philadelphia on a home run drive by Whitted. Whitted's drive struck the bleachers and then caromed off of Betcher's chest into the grand stand.

Pittsburgh defeated Chicago yesterday by a score of 7 to 4. Both Brown and Barger were hit hard. Pittsburgh getting 15 hits and Chicago 13.

Buffalo defeated Brooklyn yesterday by a score of 2 to 1. Krapp had a pitcher's battle with Fioneran and came out on top, keeping the six hits of Brooklyn well scattered.

The New York Americans lost an exhibition game to Harrisburg of the International league yesterday, the score being 4 to 1. Pich and Shawkey yielded nine hits while New York got eight off of Alexander and Schacht.

HARRISBURG DEFEATS YANKS.
Harrisburg, Pa., Aug. 30.—The Harrisburg International Baseball team defeated the New York Americans in an exhibition game here today 4 to 1.

Score: R. H. E.
New York .. 000 000 100—1 8 1
Harrisburg .. 001 300 000—4 9 0
Batteries—Pich, Shawkey, and Nunamaker; Alexander, Schacht and Heckinger.

AGNES W. WINS ONLY FIVE HEAT RACE AT STATE FAIR AT DES MOINES

Takes Last Three Heats After Jack Green Had Taken the First Two.

Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 30.—Agnes W. won first money in the 2:16 pace, the only five heat race of the Great Western circuit races at the Iowa state fair today. Agnes W. won the last three heats after Jack Green had taken the first two.

Summary.
Three year old pace, purse \$60.
Arkangelo, first; The Departure, second. Best time, 2:15 3-4.

Three year old trot, purse \$800.
Humfast, first; Sweet Aubrey, second; Allie Watts, third. Best time, 2:15 3-4.

2:20 trot, purse \$800.
Sid McKerron, first; Dr. Lustre, second; Joe Vincent, third. Best time, 2:16 1-2.

2:16 pace, purse \$700.
Agnes W., first; Jack Green, second; Bonnie Hal, third. Best time, 2:12 3-4.

2:13 pace, purse \$70.
Strathtell, first; Elsie Janis, second; Barlight, third. Best time, 2:11 1-4.

SPORT SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

Tuesday.
Horse—Ohio circuit races, 3 days, at Jefferson, O.

S. E. Indiana circuit races, 4 days at Shelbyville, Ind.

New England Short Ship meet, 4 days, at Providence, R. I.

Wisconsin Short Ship meet, 3 days, at Deperre, Wis.

Annual Fair race meet, 4 days at Washington, Pa.

Boxing—Joe Azevedo vs. Harry Pierce, 10 rounds, at Brooklyn, N. Y.

Leach Cross vs. Johnny Harvey, 10 rounds, at New York.

Ad Wolgast vs. Young Brown, 10 rounds, at New York.

Frankie Fleming vs. Micky Donley, 10 rounds at New York.

Packey Hummy vs. Benny Leonard, 10 rounds, at New York.

Jim Savage vs. Young Weinert, 10 rounds, at New York.

Wednesday.
Horse—Thoroughbred meet opens at Belmont Park, N. Y.

Polo—Tourney, 8 days, opens at Cheyenne Mountain Country Club.

Tennis—Annual tournament at Fairmont, W. Va.

Thursday.
Horse—Jockey Club races all week at Montreal, P. Q.

Boxing—Milburn Saylor vs. Phil Brock, 10 rounds, at Minneapolis, Minn.

Friday.
Motorcycle—Race meet at Des Moines, Ia.

Tennis—Tournaments open at Marion, Mass., and Pittsfield, Mass.

Saturday.
Horse—President's cup for 3 year olds and upward, at San Francisco Fair.

Yacht—Manhasset Cup races for 50 foot sloops, begin at Chicago.

Exposition regatta, races for sloops, classes N. R. P and Q and handicap race for yaws, at San Francisco.

Auto—500 mile race at Minneapolis, Minn.

Tennis—Open tourney at Country Club, Dayton, O.

TO START TOURNEY TODAY.

Forest Hills, N. Y., Aug. 30.—Although the courts were still heavy from their rains of the past 36 hours, the executive committee of the National Tennis association hoped to start the first round of the national championship tourney at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

CHILDREN'S LIBRARIAN TO ARRIVE TODAY.

Miss Mary Frances Cox, of Sandwich, Ill., will arrive in Jacksonville this evening to take up her work as children's librarian in the Jacksonville public library. Miss Cox graduated from the Pittsburgh library school this summer. The Pittsburgh school makes a specialty of children's work and Miss Cox will come to Jacksonville with the best ideas of the library profession in that particular field. She has been a student at the University of Illinois and at Northwestern university and her recommendations are very favorable.

The children's work which has been carried on in a corner of the main reading room during the summer will be given over into Miss Cox's hands on Wednesday and the children's room will be reopened.

A number of improvements have been made in the children's room. The walls have been redecorated and instead of dark green are now in soft yellow tones. The whole effect of the room is more cheerful. Shelving has been shifted to get better light and increased radiation added.

When many children are in the room as they were last winter, there must be constant ventilation and the room has often in the past been cold.

As a special addition to the opening of the room on Wednesday afternoon, Miss Clara Lane will tell a group of stories at 4 o'clock. The children are invited to come and meet Miss Cox on Wednesday afternoon and hear the stories which Miss Lane tells so delightfully.

FIRE CHIEFS AT CINCINNATI.

Cincinnati, O., Aug. 30.—Fire chiefs from the big cities of the United States gathered here today for the annual convention of the International Association of Fire Chiefs. Chief Bunker of Cincinnati is host to the visitors, and a program of business and pleasure has been arranged.

TAFT LECTURES IN OPEN AIR.

Berkeley, Calif., Aug. 30.—Former President William H. Taft will deliver today the first of a series of three lectures to students of the University of California and the Pacific Theological Seminary. He will speak in the open air Greek theatre, on "The Presidency: Its Power, Duties and Responsibilities."

LITERBERRY.

Mrs. M. Meline and children are visiting her mother, Mrs. Sarah Stevenson.

Mrs. Jesse Litter and Robert Beaver were called to Plainville last Friday to attend the funeral of their sister.

Mrs. Hattie Henderson and grandson, Billy Conover, of Jacksonville, spent the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Willard Young at Maple Mount.

Mr. Archie Wilhite and family and Mr. Ernest Lowden and family, of Little Indian, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Daniels at Telephone House.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Scribner and children drove down to Maple View last Thursday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Wall Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. John Daniels, of "Bonnie Doone Cottage," gave a Sunday dinner to twelve of their friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Litter, of Shady Lawn, and Mrs. S. H. Crum and Mrs. S. Henderson, drove to Jacksonville Sunday afternoon to visit Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Henderson.

William Jones, of "Alfalfa Farm," in Grace neighborhood, called at our office last Friday morning.

The most of Litterberry people took in the chautauqua and were well pleased. Among the decorated autos in the parade, on last Wednesday, the Petefish car from Litterberry, decorated by the Petefish sisters, was very artistic, and we think, as pretty as many others, and showed they are up-to-date and willing to do their part.

The Ladies' aid of the Baptist church will serve fried fish and chicken with all that goes along; also cake, cream and coffee, in the basement of the church on the 9th of September, beginning at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

We are under obligations to Master Landis Young for a generous dish of ice cream for our Sunday supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Braner and son, Raymond, of "Beulah Land Farm," drove their Maxwell car up to Litterberry last Friday and called at Sunshine Cottage, but found the cottage deserted; nobody at home. We were sorry to have missed this visit, and invite this good family to come again.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Coffman, of Jacksonville, spent the last of the week visiting and resting in our town among friends.

Miss Nellie Parks is on the sick list.

Mrs. Ed Andell, of Winchester, came up Saturday to visit her father, Mr. David Parks.

Mrs. F. E. Baldwin and daughter, Betty, after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Reynolds on West College avenue, left Monday for Carlville, and after a brief visit there will go to their home in Chicago.

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HINDU REVOLT WAS HATCHED IN AMERICA.

Who Supplied the Funds, Is Only Remaining Question.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 28.—That the insurrection of the Hindus, which began in Calcutta, India, last fall, was hatched in America and financed here, is the information contained in affidavits received here by the editor of a local Hindu paper. After wiping out the revolutionists, the British government of India took evidence on the plot and uncovered the main facts in the conspiracy. The only evidence that appears to be lacking is the origin of the funds used by the Hindu conspirators. A large amount of money was furnished, much greater than one could reasonably expect the Hindu number of Hindus in America to raise. This money was furnished just at a time when the insurrection would be most serious to British interests in India.

It is just a year ago tomorrow that a party of fifty Hindus left this city for Japan. According to the evidence presented at the conspiracy hearing, they journeyed to Shanghai, Hong Kong and Singapore, from where they went to Armistair by way of Madras. On their way they were strengthened by fresh arrivals and new recruits to their cause. When the insurrectionists reached Calcutta, they were 300 strong. Acting in accordance with their plan, they immediately scattered. Many attempts were made, some successful, to get troops to join their movement. So well drilled were the revolutionists in the art of concealment that they were able to stir up considerable trouble for the government. Only by the most stringent measures were they detected.

The entire plot was engineered by Har Dyal, former professor at Stanford university, according to the information received from India. In March, 1914, proceedings had been started by the United States immigration authorities to deport Har Dyal. This Hindu leader left for Switzerland, whence he directed the movements of his followers by correspondence. It is said that in Switzerland he was nearer his base of money supply.

Har Dyal, the revolutionist leader, was dismissed from the Stanford faculty. He had found high favor with the society women of Palo Alto because of his Hindu philosophies. It was charged that he was preaching socialism and anarchy from his college rostrum. He was the recognized head of the Hindu revolutionists in America. His plan was to raise the standard of revolt in the absence of troops needed in Europe and expel the British from India.

This evidence was offered before a court of British commissioners in the Lahore conspiracy case, where scores of Hindus were arrested after a period of gorilla warfare raged about the city. Two of the conspirators turned state's evidence. They declared that the movement had its beginning at St. John's Newfoundland. After a series of meetings there, at which Har Dyal is said to have urged "unity, liberty, equality and human rights," and similar meetings in Seattle and Astoria, the moving spirits in the plot came to San Francisco, where Har Dyal declared he had "American sympathizers."

HIS 74TH BIRTHDAY.

John N. McCormick of Woodson was in the city yesterday celebrating his 74th birthday. He is in unusual health and seems to be enjoying life as well as could be expected. The writer well remembers when he and John recited mathematics to Prof. Crampton fifty years ago. John was a faithful and industrious student and had many friends in the college.

Efficient Housekeeping

BY HENRIETTA D. GRAUEL.

WITH THE "R" IN SEPTEMBER.

American oysters are the finest in the world, whether for cooking or for eating from the shell, and to serve them with all that delicacy of flavor for which they are so valued is the desire of every dinner giver.

In the first place the bivalves should never be heated to a higher degree than 100 degrees Fahrenheit. Cooking them with high intense heat makes oysters tough and leathery. In the case of stewed oysters, the oysters should be added just before the dish is served. Sealed oysters, oysters and friend oysters must be cooked differently because their flavor is to be diffused through a quantity of crust and so on. But even so, care should be used not to overcook them.

Oyster Stew—A quart of oysters of medium size should contain about fifty oysters. Drain the liquor from these and heat it. In another vessel, preferably a double bottomed boiler, heat one and a half pints of milk to the scalding point. Season the oyster liquor with pepper, salt and butter. Add two tablespoons of rolled, sifted cracker crumbs to the hot milk and then the oysters and the broth. Cover and keep hot five minutes and serve. The salt added to the milk would curdle it, therefore the above method.

If you like a thinner oyster soup merely heat rich milk and when it is scalding, put the oysters in it. When their heads or edges curl, add pepper and butter. Salt is put in at the

table. Very large oysters are fine when pan-fried or broiled. A hot iron pan is used and the drained oysters are thrown in it and shaken about until heated through, when they are placed in a heated dish and sprinkled with melted butter, salt and pepper.

Philadelphia style Fried Oysters is a noted way of preparing this dish. The oysters are dried on soft linen, one by one, and seasoned with salt and cayenne, then dipped first in beaten egg yolk and then in bread crumbs. Every part must be coated with this mixture and then sifted cracker dust should be patted on the oysters with the hands.

When all the oysters are ready, immerse six at a time in boiling hot oil and take them out when golden brown. Drain and serve as hot as possible.

Buttered toast, crisp sour, pickles and cabbage salad are all served with oysters in any style.

There are many recipes for serving oysters and some of these make a few go a great way, so this is one appetizing dainty that people of even very limited means need not go without.

Questions and Answers.

"Kindly print directions for making peach butter."

Reply—Mellow peaches may be used for this. Pare, stone and weigh them and heat slowly, using a porcelain-lined kettle. When hot, mash them smooth and finally press through a sieve; add three fourths of a pound of sugar to each pound of peaches and cook, stirring constantly, for twenty minutes longer. Seal in small jars. Peaches, like all fruits, must be cooked in granite porcelain, never in tin. Plum and peach butter are made in the same manner.

Tomorrow—Dried corn.

AUTOMOBILES

J. M. Metzler, who is making a trans-continental tour of the country in his automobile is at present the guest of Ralph M. Riggs, of Winchester, and yesterday drove Mr. Riggs' Chandler car to the city. He was accompanied by Mrs. Riggs and several friends.

Mrs. Corson, of Ashland, was a visitor in the city yesterday coming in her Overland car.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Etter helped represent Waverly in the city coming in their Hudson car.

Fred Messison, of the south part of the county, made a trip to the city yesterday in his Oakland car.

B. M. Chrisman came up yesterday to the city from Merritt in his Case car on business.

H. M. Duer, of the vicinity of Mercedosa, was a city visitor yesterday coming in his Buick car.

Louis Perbix, of the west part of the county, came to the city yesterday in his Mitchell car.

A. W. Petefish, of Literbery, made a trip to the city yesterday in his Ford car.

Charles Potter, of Lynnvillie, made a trip to the city in his McFarlan 6 car.

L. L. Sappington, of Exeter, brought to the city in his Ford yesterday Justin Leib and daughter, Mary, the latter for the purpose of entering the Jacksonville Business college.

Mrs. P. C. Burrus and Miss Ethel McCaleb came up to the city yesterday in Mrs. Burrus' Ford car.

Mrs. William Redshaw, daughter, Irene, Mrs. Dr. Webster, Mrs. John Gillham, Miss Dona Little and another lady all rode to the city yesterday from Winchester in Mrs. Redshaw's Ford car.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McKean, of Springfield, rode down yesterday in their Jeffrey's car to visit Mrs. McKean's brother, J. A. Obermeyer, and family of North Church street.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Schubert, Mrs. L. R. Brasseur and son, Marvie, rode over from Kankakee in Mr. Schubert's Buick 6 car for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Galtens on N. Main street.

Edward Streuter and family made a trip from Mercedosa to the city yesterday in their Maxwell car.

William Bocking with daughter, Miss Emma, chauffeur, came to the city yesterday from the east part of the county in their White gas car.

Howard Zahn and Donald Joy made a trip to Springfield on business yesterday in Mr. Joy's Buick 6 car.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Obermeyer, daughter, Lucinda, sons, Charles, Jr. and Peter, came down from Chicago yesterday in their Pathfinder car for a visit with Mr. Obermeyer's brother, J. A. Obermeyer, of this city. They expect to visit Mr. Obermeyer's parents at Winchester and friends in Indianapolis before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Funk and Mrs. Walter Lewis came up to the city yesterday from Exeter in Mr. Funk's Ford car.

George Woodall and son made a trip from Winchester to the city yesterday in their Marmon car.

NOTICE OF PROPOSAL FOR BIDS.
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed Bids will be received for the construction of the improvement of South Main street from the center line of Morton avenue to the center line of Michigan avenue, by the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Jacksonville, Illinois, until the 10th day of September, A. D. 1915, at the hour of three (3) o'clock p. m., at its office in the City Hall, in the said City of Jacksonville, Illinois, at which time and place said bids will be publicly opened.

It is estimated that there will be about 8,800 square yards of 2 1/2 inch lar Macadam Wearing Surface, 2,380 square yards of Brick on a 6-inch Concrete Base, and a Grout Filler, and a 2-inch Sand Cushion; 2,380 square yards of Crushed Stone foundation, 5 inches in thickness.

Said improvement shall be constructed and made in accordance with the Ordinance providing for the same, and the maps, plans, profiles and specifications for the same on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City.

Proposals must be made on blanks furnished by said Board and in compliance with the instructions thereto attached, which can be had on application to the Engineer of said City, and must be accompanied by cash or by a certified check payable to the order of the President of said Board of Local Improvements in his official capacity certified by a responsible bank, for an amount not less than ten (10) per cent of the aggregate of the proposal.

Work must be commenced at once and the material must be on the ground by September 20th, 1915. The Contractor shall be paid in cash and bonds to draw five (5) per cent interest.

No bid will be accepted unless the party offering it shall furnish evidence satisfactory to said Board of Local Improvements, that he has the necessary facilities, ability and pecuniary resources to fulfill the conditions of the contract and execute the work should the contract be awarded to him.

In case the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect to enter into a contract prepared by the said Board; then the certified check of such bidder shall be held and cashed and the proceeds thereof retained as liquidated damages.

Bidders will examine the Ordinance, maps, plans, profiles and specifications and also the locality in which said work is to be done and judge for themselves of all the circumstances and surrounding conditions affecting the cost and nature of the work.

The Board of Local Improvements

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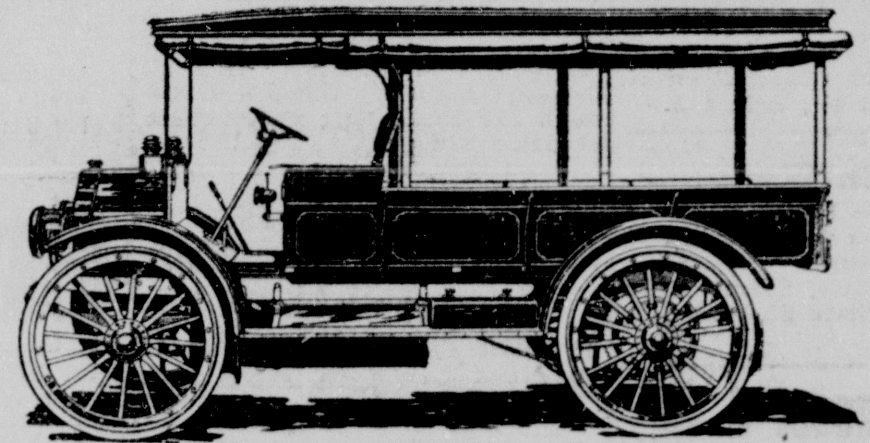
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Wm. F. Widmayer, Secy.
Jerry Cox, Mbr.
J. Edgar Martin, Mbr.
Joshua Vasconcellos, Mbr.
Board of Local Improvements of the City of Jacksonville, Illinois.

WOODSON,

The Practical Bible Class of the Presbyterian church of this place will hold a market and Parcel Post sale in Jacksonville on Saturday Sept. 4th. The place will be announced later.

Miss Grace Nevins of Whitehall spent last week with her friend Miss Marguerite Steinmetz.

Mrs. Hary Shelton and daughter, Miss Hazen, of Girard are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Geo. E. Staples returned home Saturday evening after spending the past two weeks with her daughter Mrs. C. F. Kehl and family in Mexico, Mo.

Jesse Allen Rimbey off Murrayville was very unfortunate Thursday while driving in this village. The horse became frightened, at some dogs, running for some distance. Jesse Allen was accompanied by Albert and Ralph Kehl. The three boys jumped from the vehicle, Jesse Allen breaking both bones in the left arm just above the wrist. Dr. Waters of Murrayville was called and gave him the necessary attention. He returned to his home on the 4:28 train, and is reported as doing as well as can be expected.

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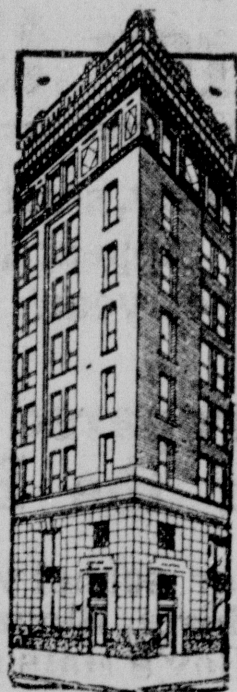
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CHAUTAUQUA PLACED ON SOLID FOOTING

MORE THAN FOUR THOUSAND DOLLARS PLEDGED.

Enough Has Been Made This Year to Pay Deficit—Directors Start With Clean Slate to Plan for a Great Chautauqua Assembly in 1916—The Program Sunday.

With more than \$4,000 pledged for its support, the 1916 chautauqua stands assured and there is every indication that Jacksonville's fifth annual assembly, in size and quality, will exceed all those preceding. Almost six hundred dollars remained to be raised at the closing session Sunday night. With counsel and encouragement from Chairman Bancroft, however, the solicitors were soon at work and before the ball stopped rolling, the \$4,000 was pledged with fifty or sixty dollars over.

For the 1915 chautauqua the season ticket sale was \$2,900 and this with the \$1,208.85 gate receipts of the ten days season, brought the total to an approximate sum of \$5100. Although a close accounting will not be made for several days, sufficient funds are available, it is thought, to wipe out the \$700 deficit left from last year and pay 1915 expenses with a small surplus. Four thousand and eight hundred dollars was the approximate cost of the chautauqua this year, divided among the following items: Talent, \$3,000; grounds, tent, police and other incidental expenses, \$1,100; music, advertising, secretary's salary, etc., \$700.

Express satisfaction.

Many expressions of satisfaction are heard with regard to the quality and success in spite of obstacles, reached by the chautauqua assembly this year. Weather conditions were far from desirable. The biggest continuous rain in years, Friday, August 20, prevented what might have been one of the largest crowds seen in Jacksonville. Though no more heavy rain came, there were several days cloudy and cool. Attendance from the country surrounding was cut short to some extent by the lateness of the season, extending the farmer's busy time.

With all said and done, however, the management believe they have delivered the goods and improved finances and riper experience promise next year a chautauqua larger and better.

Workmen were busy Monday at the work of dismantling the big tent and practically all of the small tents were taken down, though the platform was left for use Labor day. A directors' meeting will be held within a few days and as soon as possible, a financial report will be made. Several lost articles found on the grounds have been collected and taken to the farmers' State bank. The street cars were taken to the Wabash siding and loaded yesterday to be shipped to Springfield.

The Closing Program.

The closing program was a good one and Sunday was a full day, with Sunday school, sacred concert and sermon in the forenoon, concerts and lecture in the afternoon and music and address at night. Father Michael Collins, who spoke at 8:30 o'clock, is the priest of a St. Louis parish.

The sudden change in the weather made the night rather disagreeable and it was somewhat late before the speaker began his address on "Mexico". He has been an extensive traveler and is thoroughly conversant with conditions in the republic across the border and the large audience present Sunday gave him close attention. The acute interest in the present situation in Mexico made the theme especially timely.

Rev. Mr. McCarty, the speaker of the morning, took his text from John 1:18: "No man hath seen God at any time. The only begotten son in the bosom of the Father, He hath declared him." Sight is not so all convincing as we may think, continued the speaker. As a sense it often is unreliable and things seen too often lose their power to impress. Love, hope, faith, God—the really vital things of life are invisible and never lose their power to stir the soul.

"We have a more vital thought of God than we did a hundred years ago. We are all under the influence of the conception of St. Augustine; a God removed from his world, standing afar in cold severity and stern judgment. We have come, I think, to a saner view. God is our father, about and within us always, and though He hates their sin, He loves His children."

The audience enjoyed a sacred concert by Jeffries' band before the sermon. At the beginning of the service Dr. G. W. Miller of Woodson led in prayer. Carl H. Weber was superintendent of the chautauqua Sunday school and led in the singing. Miss Clara Ranson was at the piano.

"The Twentieth Century Man." Congressman William H. Murray was unable to fill his engagement Sunday afternoon and in his stead Mr. Bancroft introduced the Rev. M. L. Pontius, pastor of Central Christian church, who spoke to the audience on "The Twentieth Century Man." At the conclusion of the band's afternoon concert a time was devoted to the subscription of tickets.

The ideas of neighborhood and brotherhood must be grasped in their fullness by the man of today, said Mr. Pontius. The modern man must be an optimist. He must be a social servant, facing and combating those mighty social problems which, though they take the mind of a statesman and the heart of a savior to solve, may be worked out by the united efforts of consecrated Christian lives. The twentieth century man must be a patriot, having the

power to work whole heartedly for a true and holy cause, which is the test of true patriotism. "The world does not need our speculations," said Mr. Pontius, "but rather it stands in need of men of pure life and straightforward action, born to teach men the message of humanity and usher in the reign of the Prince of Peace."

A concert at four o'clock terminated the afternoon exercises, closing one of the best attended sessions of the entire chautauqua. A 6:30 o'clock vesper service was held, with Carl H. Weber leading. William Colton of Woodson led in the singing, the audience joining in "Jesus Lover of My Soul," and "Shall We Gather at the River."

MORTUARY

Haxton.

Mrs. Katherine Maddox Haxton, wife of John Haxton, died at the family home one mile south of Jacksonville Monday morning at five o'clock. The deceased was 53 years of age at the time of death and had been ill for several months. She is survived by her husband and two daughters, Mrs. Harry Newman of Virginia and Mrs. Ray Bourne of this city. She also is survived by three half-brothers, Charles Maddox of Oklahoma and Walter and Clarence of Virginia and one half sister, Mrs. Frank Dunbar of Beardstown.

Funeral services will be held from the family residence Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock. The remains will then be brought to this city and taken to the residence of James H. Hall, 335 West College avenue, where services will be held at 3 p. m. in charge of Rev. F. J. Bowman of Concord. Interment will be in Jacksonville cemetery.

Beavers.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Beavers of Litchberry were in the city Monday enroute home from Plainville, Adams county, where they went to attend the funeral of Mrs. William H. Beavers which was held Sunday afternoon. The husband of the deceased was formerly a resident of the Litchberry neighborhood but has resided in Adams county for over forty years.

The deceased was a native of Missouri and resided in St. Louis for a number of years. After her marriage to Mr. Beavers they lived at Canton, Mo. She was 65 years of age at the time of death. Interment was made in Barry.

LUKEMAN'S SPECIAL SALE.

The special sale at which Lukeman Bros. are closing extensive lines of FALL and WINTER CLOTHING and FURNISHINGS at SACRIFICING PRICES continues with unabated interest. The store was crowded Monday. To make possible stock rearrangement the store will not open until 8 a.m. each day this week.

MATRIMONIAL

Snyder—Blay.

Herbert A. Snyder and Miss Harriet Blay both of Jerseyville were united in marriage Monday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock by Justice Henderson at his office in the Unity building. The couple came here by way of Waverly and were anxious that their marriage not be known to their home folks for at least a month. The groom is a carpenter and they will reside in Jerseyville.

WITH THE SICK.

Mrs. Catherine Magill residing on rural route No. 6, east of Jacksonville, was taken suddenly ill Sunday afternoon while attending the services in the big tent at the chautauqua grounds. When she attempted to withdraw for the purpose of going to a rest tent, she fell from weakness and struck her head upon a tent stake and as rendered unconscious. Mrs. Magill was taken into the headquarters tent and Dr. G. W. Miller of Woodson was summoned from the audience to attend her. She soon regained consciousness and was able to go to her home.

Miss Dorothy German is ill of typhoid fever at Passavant hospital.

WILL BE MARRIED IN IOWA.

Announcement has been made of the approaching marriage of Reuben V. Gunn, son of Mrs. John T. Gunn, west of the city, to Miss Christina Rouwenhorst of range City, Iowa. The ceremony will be held at the home of the bride at Orange City, Thursday afternoon, Sept. 2, at four o'clock. The groom is a member of the faculty of the University of Wisconsin in the agricultural department and they will reside in Madison, Wis.

Miss Alice Gunn who is to be one of the bridesmaids, left for Orange City today. She spent Monday with relatives in Kansas City and will go to Orange City today.

James McCormick and daughter Margaret have returned to their home in Chicago after a visit of several weeks with relatives in this city and Versailles and Charles Kerr at the locks. Mr. McCormick is eighty-five years old but is still hale and hearty and able to get about all right.

AT WESTMINSTER CHURCH.

The Rev. W. I. Alexander, D.D., of Grand Island, Nebraska, who preached in Westminster church a week ago, occupied the pulpit again Sunday. He did so on invitation of the committee on permanent supply.

Dr. Alexander had a goodly audience a week ago, and this week his audiences were decidedly larger. The people have been much pleased with Dr. Alexander's sermons on each of his visits.

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PICNIC DATES ANNOUNCED.

Sept. 1 (Wednesday) chicken and fish fry Union church
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Sept. 2 (Thursday) annual picnic and celebration of Northminster church, Nichols park.
Sept. 2 (Thursday) Chapin Christian chicken and fish fry.
Sept. 4 (Saturday) Zion M. E. church, near Murrayville.
Sept. 4 (Friday) Merritt chicken and fish fry.
Sept. 6 (Monday) Labor Day celebration Nichols Park.
Sept. 6 (Monday) Rural Mail Carriers Association burgoon picnic at Nichols Park.
Sept. 7 (Tuesday) Centenary church chicken supper.
Sept. 7 (Tuesday) Island Grove chicken fry.
Sept. 9 (Thursday) Baptist church chicken fry at Litchberry.
Oct. 7 (Thursday) Northminster church annual chicken supper.

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ROOT PLEADS FOR THE SHORT BALLOT

(Continued from page one.)

in government but toward robbing an irresponsible autocracy of its indefensible and unjust and undemocratic control of government and restoring it to the people to be exercised by the men of their choice and their control.

The contention of Senator Brackett in opposing the measure was that there was no popular demand for the short ballot and that what demand there was was "created in the dark." Mr. Root said this contention was not well founded.

Governor Hughes and Senator-elect Wadsworth both fought for the principle in 1910 and platforms of all political parties had declared for it since. It was one of the inducements, he declared, which was held out by the republicans "after the big defeat in 1912" to cause the progressives to return to the party.

The short ballot which Mr. Root advocated tonight was submitted to the convention on August 11th. The proposed amendment would strike from the elective list the offices of secretary of state, state treasurer, engineer and surveyor. Department heads appointed by the governor, with the advice and consent of the senate would assume the duties now borne by these offices.

All the state departments and bureaus of which there are now 168, would be grouped under 15 heads, which would be made constitutional offices. No new independent departments could be created by the legislature. Only two departments, heads the attorney general and the comptroller would be elective. The secretary of state would be given supervision over elections.

The attorney general and comptroller, as well as all appointive heads of departments would be subject to impeachment in the same manner as the governor.

The proposal was advanced to the order of final passage late tonight. The most important amendment adopted tonight gives the governor the right to name the secretary of state, state treasurer, ax commissioner, the secretary of charities and commissions of accounts, health and agriculture without the consent of the senate. Nominations of all other appointive officers will require the confirmation of the senate.

ARE NEW RESIDENTS.

Mrs. Mamie Gordon and her daughter, Miss Mary Ethel, have moved from Modesto, Macopin county, to this city to reside and now occupy the residence property at 1051 West College avenue. Mr. Abram Gordon, the father in law of Mrs. Gordon will reside with them.

SURPRISE BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

Friends of E. A. Daniels of Litterberry Pleasantly Remember Him.

Sunday was the 46th birthday of E. A. Daniels of the vicinity of Litterberry and his friends decided that the event should be duly celebrated and accordingly they gathered in goodly numbers and about forty strong proceeded to his home, taking him completely by surprise. At first he hardly knew what to make of the large number of persons pouring into his place but he knew he had done nothing worthy of arrest and furthermore he knew the self invited callers were friends, relatives and neighbors who would do him no harm so he soon took in the situation and surrendered at discretion which was indeed the better part of valor.

The visitors brought along amply filled baskets of all manner of good things and at noon they were fully enjoyed. The afternoon was pleasantly spent with music and sociability and all too soon the approaching shades of evening indicated the hour for departure.

A good many present gave additional testimony to the place Mr. Daniels has in the esteem of his friends. Among those present there were Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Lewis of Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wade of Chapin, Mr. and Mrs. James Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Boatman, Lee Brainer, Fred Johnson, Walter Brainer, Miss Hazel Gish, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lecky, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lacey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Lacey and family, S. O. Lacey, Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Boatman and family.

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ENTERTAINMENT AT MISSION THIS EVENING.

An entertainment will be given at the Baptist Mission on Ashland avenue this evening at 7:30 o'clock. The entertainment will consist of readings by Miss Katie Clarkson, Mrs. Clarkson and Miss Lina Roberts. There also will be several musical numbers. An admission of ten cents will be charged.

HAS RETURNED FROM WEST.

Alfred Anderson has returned from a visit of two months in the west. He was called to California by the serious illness of his mother. While there he visited the expositions at San Francisco and San Diego and also other points of interest. His mother is much improved in health.

BIRTH RECORD.

Born, Monday afternoon, to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Simms of 357 West Lafayette avenue, an eight pound son. Mrs. Simms was formerly Miss Jennie Coultas.

WINCHESTER

Lon Osborne of Jacksonville was a visitor in Winchester yesterday.

Miss Mary Higgins left Monday for Virginia to attend the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. L. A. Weaver.

Leo Boylan of Beardstown was here Sunday to visit relatives.

Miss Helen Kinson has gone to Jacksonville for a visit with her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Kinson.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Walton Dace were visitors in White Hall Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Edmondson are the proud parents of a little son, born Sunday morning.

Charles W. Burdick and Miss Anna Lazenby were guests of friends in Lynaville Sunday.

Mrs. Henry North is very sick at her home in the north part of town. D. D. Watt & Co. had their store closed all day yesterday preparing for their big sale Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Neat and nephew, Paul Markillie, have returned in their car from Springfield. Since Friday they have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wiesse.

The Pullens comedians arrived here Sunday and there was a large crowd out to witness the first performance Monday night.

CENTENARY BOARD.

The fourth quarterly conference for Centenary church will be held Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., instead of Tuesday.

JUDGE THOMSON TO HAVE NEW HOME.

Plans have been drafted by Architect C. W. Buckingham for the erection of a comfortable two story eight room frame residence for County Judge W. E. Thomson and family. The building will be erected on South Main street and will be No. 1444. The general contract has been awarded to Charles E. Seymour on his bid. The house is to be ready for occupancy by Dec. 1.

HELD MEMORIAL SERVICES.

Memorial services were held at Grace church Sunday school Sunday morning for Harold Boyd who lost his life at Gallatin, Mo., a few days ago. He was an member of the Sunday school orchestra and of Harlan Williamson's Sunday school class. Brief addresses were made by Harlan Williamson, Rev. J. W. Miller and Thomas V. Hopper. Miss Stella Shuff sang "Face to Face". The service served to show the high esteem in which Harold Boyd was held in the Sunday school.

IN NEW HOME.

Lewis Kelly, who for some time has resided at 413 South Kasiusko street, has removed with his family to the property at 646 South Diamond street, which he recently purchased.

MONDAY COUNCIL SESSION

OCCUPIED BRIEF PERIOD

Railroads Will Make Needed Crossing Repairs—Several Requests for Sewers Reported.

The council session Monday morning was brief and but few subjects were discussed. Mr. Martin reported that W. L. Simpson, agent for the Wabash, stated that the material for improving crossings at Church street and North Main street had been ordered and that the work would be given attention soon. Mr. Cox reported that the C. P. & St. L. will take similar action with reference to some needed crossing repair work.

Mr. Cox also reported that there had been trouble with a sewer on East Court street which connects with the Pacific hotel. There was some question as to whether this is a public or a private sewer and it was suggested that Mr. Cox determine this fact before having any work done. Mr. Martin reported a request from certain residents of Sandusky street living north of Lafayette avenue for a sewer on that street. A similar request was reported by Mayor Rodgers from residents on East Lafayette avenue and adjoining streets.

The contract and bond of Wallon & company for supplying coal the ensuing year was approved. A resolution was presented and adopted directing that the paving work for South Main street shall proceed notwithstanding any action that the railway and light company may take with reference to an appeal.

LUKEMAN'S SPECIAL SALE.

The special sale at which Lukeman Bros. are closing extensive lines of FALL and WINTER CLOTHING and FURNISHINGS at SACRIFICING PRICES continues with unabated interest. The store is crowded Monday. To make possible stock rearrangement the store will not open until 8 a.m. each day this week.

DR. WIDENHAM TELLS ABOUT SPINELESS CACTUS

Dr. J. C. Widenham arrived at home Sunday night after an absence of a month and a half, during which time in company with Mrs. Widenham, together with their two sons and two daughters, who reside in Los Angeles, Cal., and their son, Allen, of San Francisco, he attended the exposition at San Francisco. They witnessed a sham naval battle in San Francisco bay, in which there were four United States battleships engaged, one of them being the noted Oregon which made the hurried trip from San Francisco to Cuban waters in 1898. The doctor visited the exposition at San Diego and enjoyed all he saw there. Mrs. Widenham remained in Los Angeles to continue her visit with four of her children.

Dr. Widenham brought home with him a sample of spineless cactus fruit, a product of the plant Wizard Luther Burbank. The specimen is a pink color, the outside resembling a red sweet potato. It is probably five inches long and two inches in diameter. The cactus fruit is said to be nutritious and healthful, having a pleasant taste and furnishing both food and drink. It is claimed when the spineless cactus has taken the place of the common species now so plentiful in the desert country of the far west, that death from starvation or thirst will be an unknown proposition, though that is yet to be tried out.

CHICKEN FRY TIME.

Is almost over. Get up a party and go Wednesday night to Liberty church. Call Cherry's for the rig. Either phone 850.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE ADDRESS.

Mrs. Donahue, of the domestic science department of the University of Illinois will come today to give the first of her series of addresses and demonstrations. "Comparative Food Values" will be the theme and the address will be given at 2:30 o'clock in the domestic science room of the David Prince school. The other addresses and demonstrations will be there except that of Saturday which will be at the Maple Grove school. The third ward parent-teachers' association will be in charge this afternoon.

GO TO LIBERTY.

Chicken fry Wednesday night. Take her in a rig from Cherry's.

Take her in a rig from Cherry's. Judge M. T. Layman returned Monday from Epworth Heights, Mich., where he has been spending the past few days. Mrs. Layman will not return until about the middle of the month and Miss Layman will go direct to her work in the Peoria schools.

Miss Alma Gillett has returned home from a visit of a week in Chicago.

BOARD OF REVIEW IN SESSION.

The Morgan county board of review held a brief session yesterday after inspecting several pieces of property on which complaint of assessment has been made. The work of the board here is conducted much less expensively than in a number of other counties. In Scott county an extra clerk has been busy for more than six weeks with board work and in various nearby counties under township organization the work is very extensive. Here County Clerk Boruff has attended to board of review proceedings with the regular office force.

ENTERTAINED FOR GUESTS.

Mrs. Joe Zellar of Alexander entertained six couples at her home Monday evening in honor of Misses Gertrude and Genevieve Michael of Quincy. Five hundred was played and the occasion was a delightful one in every particular.

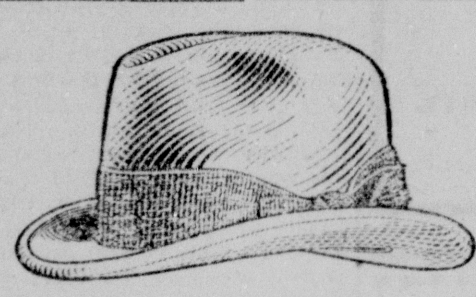
Orbie Proctor, who is located in Galesburg as cutter with a tailoring firm, is in the city for a visit with relatives. He formerly was in partnership with Frank U. Correa.

School Clothes for the Boy

Preparedness means efficiency, start the boy right with the proper clothes for his appearance and comfort at the beginning of his school year.

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Norfolks Suits, durable fabrics for school wear, some with two pair Pants \$1.50 to \$5.00. Shirts, Blouses, Knee-pants, Underwear, new fall Child's and Boy's Hats and caps. We've a new Fall Hat for you.



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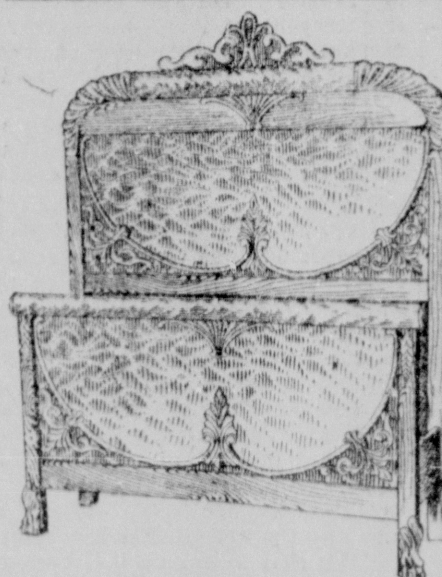
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Girls
White
and Red
Tams

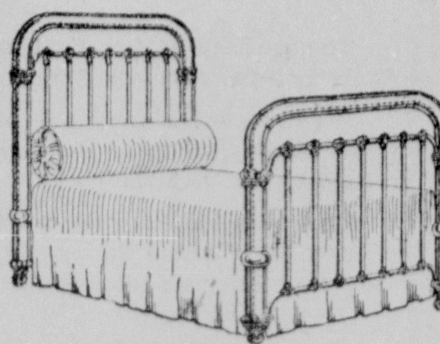
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Prospective housewives and brides-to-be of the coming fall months have bought their entire home-making outfits at this sale. And why not, when fifty or a hundred dollars can be saved by doing so?

Goods selected these two days will be held upon payment of a small deposit and without storage charges for future delivery.

Come! The savings of this sale make it well worth while to anticipate your furniture and housefurnishing needs for the next six months.

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